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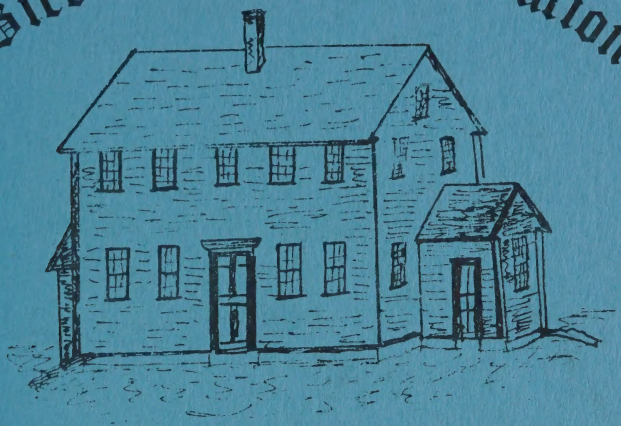

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

Helen D. Bridges	Term Expires 1969

Selectmen

Virginia Thistleton	Term Expires 1971
Thomas Arnold	Term Expires 1969
Walter Frost (resigned 1968-Douglas Fleming appointed to replace Mr. Frost)	Term Expires 1970

Town Treasurer

Louise E. Corey	Term Expires 1969

Tax Collector

Florence M. Marshall	Term Expires 1969

Moderator

Orville D. Fessenden	Term Expires 1970

Overseer of Poor

Marcia Farwell	Term Expires 1969

Chief of Police

Alvin W. Taylor	Term Expires 1969

Road Agent

Arvo C. Bedders	Term Expires 1969

Forest Fire Warden
Appointed by State

Erwin E. Corey

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens
Appointed by State

Fire Engineers

Erwin E. Corey	Term Expires 1969
George Joki, Jr.	Term Expires 1969
Grover C. Farwell, Jr.	Term Expires 1969

Fire Steward

Alan Knowles	Term Expires 1969

Supervisors of Checklist

Miriam S. Jepson	Term Expires 1972
Grover C. Farwell, Jr.	Term Expires 1970
Dorothy Russell (resigned)	Term Expires 1968

Auditors

Philip Chandler	Term Expires 1969
Herbert C. Benton	Term Expires 1969

Town Trustees

Grover C. Farwell	Term Expires 1971
Elwood Perin	Term Expires 1969
Charles Rutter	Term Expires 1970

Health Officer

Alton Jensen	Appointed by State

Tree Warden

Grover C. Farwell, Sr.	Appointed by State

Sexton

Grover C. Farwell, Sr.	Term Expires 1969

Library Trustees

Charlotte Farwell	Term Expires 1971
Judith Potter	Term Expires 1970
Beatrice Denehy	Term Expires 1969

Town History Committee

Charlotte Wright (deceased)	Term Expires 1969
Charlotte Farwell	Term Expires 1969
Beatrice Denehy	Term Expires 1969

Planning Board

Earl W. Soper	Term Expires 1970
Cecil Thistleton	Term Expires 1969
Bruce Wierenga	Term Expires 1972
Clarence Farwell	Term Expires 1971
Douglas Fleming	Term Expires 1969

Dog Officer

Alvin W. Taylor	Term Expires 1969

Finance Committee

John McNabb	Term Expires 1969
Lawrence E. Corey	Term Expires 1969
Clarles Rutter	Term Expires 1969

Ways and Means Committee

Eldorus C. Fessenden	Term Expires 1969
Grover C. Farwell, Jr.	Term Expires 1969
George H. Manning	Term Expires 1969
Herbert C. Benton	Term Expires 1969
Sidney Hall	Term Expires 1969

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

Eldorus C. Fessenden	Term Expires 1969
Norman J. Spencer (deceased)	Term Expires 1969

War Memorial Committee

Nason W. Fessenden	Until Discharged
Harold F. Burgess	Until Discharged
Grover C. Farwell	Until Discharged

Memorial Day Committee

Stanely Reynolds	Term Expires 1969
George Farwell	Term Expires 1969
Thomas Moran	Term Expires 1969

Bicentennial Committee

Alan Fessenden	Term Expires 1969
Clarence Farwell	Term Expires 1969
Eldorus Fessenden	Term Expires 1969
Philip Shattuck	Term Expires 1969
Peter Ouellette (resigned)	Term Expires 1969
Donald Barnaby	Term Expires 1969
Mary L. Dulac	Term Expires 1969

Committee on Plans for New Cemetery

Grover C. Farwell, Sr.	Until Discharged
Erwin E. Corey	Until Discharged
Clarence Farwell	Until Discharged

Melendy Pond Authority

Earl Soper	Term Expires 1969
Hector Homoleski	Term Expires 1969
Thomas Moran	Term Expires 1969
Stanley Reynolds	Term Expires 1969
Fred C. Brown (non-resident)	Term Expires 1969
Louise E. Corey	Term Expires 1969

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Brookline, in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Daniels Academy Building in said Brookline on Tuesday, the eleventh (11th) day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and all other Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relative thereto.

4. To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Highways and Bridges.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the Public Library.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purchase of basic books by the Public Library or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $75.00 to help defray the cost of swimming instruction for Town children or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

8. To see if the Town will elect a Bicentennial Committee consisting of seven (7) members or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal of funds from the "Captial Reserve Fund for the Bicentennial Celebration" to be used By the Bicentennial Committee, or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to defray the cost of Town decorations for the Bicentennial Celebration or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the "War Memorial Committee" to purchase a monument for the Veterans of World War II for the sum of $866.71, and to further authorize said committee to erect the monument on the grounds of Daniels Academy Building. (By Petition)

12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal of $866.71 from the "Capital Reserve Fund for War Memorial", said sum to be used to purchase the "World War II" Monument by the "War Memorial Committee" to have said foundation constructed, and the monument thereon. (By Petition)

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the purpose of excavating, and constructing a masonry foundation for the War Memorial Monument, and to authorize the "War Memorial Committee" to have said foundation constructed, and the monument placed thereon. (By Petition)

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $125.00 for Memorial Day.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the cutting and care of trees or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Fire Engineers and the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the said "Old Fire Station on Main Street", or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

17..To see if the Town will vote to dispose of the "Old Town Ambulance" or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for Radio Equipment Fund. (By Petition)

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for Water Holes. (By Petition)

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise the Firemen's pay from $1.50 to $1.70 per hour at all fires or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for new Fire Equipment. (By Petition)

22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $821.80 to defray the annual cost of the "Group Alerting and Dispatch System" or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)
23.
23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 to be placed in the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund or take any action relative thereto. (Be Petition)

24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $530.00 to secure State Aid for permanant improvements of highways.

25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropirate the sum of $500.00 for cutting of brush along Town Roads.

26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

27. To see if the Town will vote to allow any discount on property taxes.

28 To see if the Town will vote to charge a penalty of twenty cents on each poll tax unpaid after September first.

29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for Civil Defense.

30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into a three year contract for janitor at Daniels Academy Building.

31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into a three year contract for the purchase of fuel oil for the Town Hall and Fire Station.

32. To see if the Town will vote to require that three bids of equal specifications are submitted for all labor and/or materials of $100.00 or more before a contract is awarded or authorized by anyone for indebtedness to which the Town may be liable. (By Petition)

33. To see if the Town will vote to require the Selectmen to include the cost of each subject on the warrant. Furthermore, each subject should be listed in order of cost beginning with the subject of the highest cost first consecutively reducing down to the lowest cost subject last. (By Petition)

34. To see if the Town will vote to limit the salary of the Tax Collector to $750.00 annually. (By Petition)

35. To see if the Town will vote to have all properties re-assessed by the State Tax Commission at the earlist possible date. (By Petition)

36. To raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 for the re-appraisal of the Town of Brookline as directed by the State Tax Commission; said re-appraisal to be decided by the voters, or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

37. To see if the Town will vote to rqeuire the Moderator to call for a paper ballot at Town Meetings if requested by any voter. (By Petition)

38. To see if the Town will vote to require all Fireman to be paid by individual checks. (By Petition)

39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for the care of cemeteries or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

40. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to start work on a Town Map or take any action relative thereto. (By Petition)

41. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to Chapter 31, New Hampshire Revised Statues Annotated, and all other legal power, to establish or continue to body to be known as Melendy Pond Authority, said Authority to be compsed of six members to be chosen from time to time in accordance with the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said Authority shall serve without pay and shall have as its purpose the ownership, administration, maintenance and control, all in the best interests of the Town, of the property known as the Melendy Pond tract, and said Authority shall receive forthwith from the Town title by deed to said property. Five members of the Authority shall be elected at this Town Meeting, one to serve for a term of one year, one to serve for a term of two years, one to serve for a term of three years, one to serve for a term of four years, and one to serve for a term of five years. At each successive Town Meeting hereafter, a member shall be elected to serve for a term of five years to replace the member whose term expires at such Town Meeting. Each of foregoing members shall be a resident of the Town when elected and and throughout his period of membership. In the event of the death, incapacity, or termination of Town residence by an elected member, his successor shall be elected at the next Town Meeting to serve the unexpired portion of the term of such member. This sixth member of the Authority shall be any person duly elected from time to time by a majority of lesses of the lots in the Melendy Pond tract, and in the event that no such person shall be so elected, the other five members of the Authority shall elect a a sixth member to serve until such a person shall be so elected. The deed of

conveyance to the Authority shall restrict the Authority from conveying legal title to any portion of the Melendy Pond tract to any person, firm or corporation. The Authority shall submit at each Town Meeting an annual report of its administration of the property including an accounting of all receipts and expenditures and a statement of any balance then held by the Authority. The Town may dissolve the Authority by two-thirds vote at any Town meeting, and the deed of the property to the Authority shall contain the provision that title to the property shall revert to the Town subject to then existing leases and encumbrances immediately on such dissolution of the Authority. (By Petition)

42. To see if the Town will officially adopt the Mill Seal in current use as the Town Seal.

43. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Charlotte Wright Memorial Fund for the Brookline Public Library. (By Petition)

44. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following legacies:

1. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to used for the perpetual care of the Grover C. Farwell lot.
2. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Geroge F. Farwell lot.
3. The sum fo $100.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Wesley Jillson lot.
4. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Oscar and Eva Elliott lot.
5. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Carl E. and Blanche Clifford lot.
6. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Dunphee lot.
7. The sum of $200.00, the income of same to be used for the perpetual care of the Edward Lancey lot.

45. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 26th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-~~eight~~. nine

VIRGINIA THISTLETON
THOMAS ARNOLD
DOUGLAS FLEMING
SELECTMEN OF
BROOKLINE

A True copy of Warrant—Attest:

VIRGINIA THISTLETON
THOMAS ARNOLD
DOUGLAS FLEMING
SELECTMEN OF
BROOKLINE

POLLS OPEN AT 10:00 A.M. E.S.T.

POLLS ~~OPEN~~ AT 7:00 P.M. E.S.T.
CLOSE

BUSINESS MEETING STARTS AT

7:30 P.M. E.S.T.

TOWN BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the
Compared with Estimated
Appropriations and Expenditues of the Previous

Sources Of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1967	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1967	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1968
From State:			
Interest & Div. Tax	$ 1,500.00	$ 1,388.12	$ 1,500.00
Savings Bank Tax	200.00	306.55	200.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	--.--	2,168.63	2,000.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Dog Licenses	400.00	563.58	500.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00	232.00	200.00
Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	75.00	92.00	75.00
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	500.00	959.10	500.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00	705.52	500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,000.00	11,718.26	12,000.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes - Reg. @ $2.00	700.00	934.00	--.--
(b)National Bank Stock Taxes	20.00	22.40	--.--
(c) Yield Taxes	--.--	59.00	--.--
TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$13,945.00	$19,149.16	$ 18,395.00
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROP. TAXES			$174,122.06
TOTAL REVENUES			192,517.06

TOWN BUDGET

Ensuing Year January 1, 1969 to December 31, 1969
and Actual Revenue
Year January 1, 1968 to December 31, 1968

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations 1967	Actual Expenditures 1967	Expenditures Estimated 1968
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$4,000.00	$4,349.87	$4,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,900.00	1,966.52	1,700.00
Election & Registration Expenses	450.00	240.85	250.00
Municipal & District Court Expenses	--.--	--.--	--.--
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	4,500.00	2,722.03	3,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	2,600.00	2,840.88	3,000.00
Fire Department	3,100.00	3,575.68	3,400.00
Moth Exterm. & Care of Trees	300.00	300.00	300.00
Insurance	2,050.00	1,720.22	2,400.00
Planning & Zoning	--.--	26.00	75.00
Damage by Dogs	500.00	226.90	250.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	--.--	--.--	500.00
Civil Defense Leased Equip.	100.00	--.--	100.00
Alerting Systems	766.20	--.--	766.00
Health:			
Vital Statistics	50.00	5.00	75.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	1,000.00	1,099.00	1,300.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance, Summer	6,500.00	6,231.19	6,500.00
Town Maintenance, Winter	2,450.00	1,837.50	2,450.00
Street Lighting	1,375.00	1,421.17	1,425.00
General Exp. of Highway Dept.	65.00	39.00	65.00
Town Road Aid	533.33	533.00	530.10
Libraries:	1,000.00	1,045.28	1,000.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	1,000.00	547.96	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	485.55	1,000.00
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	500.00	--.--	500.00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations 1967	Actual Expenditures 1967	Expenditures Estimated 1968
Partictic Purpose			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Associations	125.00	--.--	125.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds, Incl. Band Concerts	100.00	79.00	500.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	300.00	300.00	400.00
Interests:			
On Long Term Notes & Bonds	1,000.00	943.70	900.00
New Equipment (Fire Dept.)	660.00	1,031.72	1,000.00
Payments on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
County Taxes	8,651.62	8,651.62	202,548.00
School Taxes	162.159.57	74,000.00*	202,548.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$214,235.72	$120.719.97	$255,059.30

*NOTE: $88,159.57 still due School District on 1968 School tax

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land - Improved and Unimproved	$ 312,117.00	
Buildings	3,216,870.00	
Factory Buildings	42,000.00	
Factory Machinery	500.00	
Public Utilities	88,400.00	
House Trailers and Mobile Homes	193,265.00	
Stock in Trade (Merchants)	25,438.00	
Stock in Trade (Manufacturers)	7,135.00	
Vehicles	17,100.00	
Boats and Launches (16)	7,200.00	
Neat Stock and Poultry		
Cows (14)	1,000.00	
Other Cattle (3)	250.00	
Poultry (7,500)	1,500.00	
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,500.00	
Portable Mills	500.00	
Road Building and Construction Machinery	5,183.00	
Wood, Lumber, Logs, Etc.	350.00	
Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed		$ 3,921,308.00
Less: Exemptions to Blind	$ 1,000.00	
Less: Neatstock Exemptions	1,000.00	
Less: Poultry Exemptions	350.00	
Total Exemptions Allowed		$ 2,350.00
Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed		$ 3,918,958.00

Number of Inventories Distributed, 530
Number of Inventories Returned, 375
Number of Veterans who received property exemptions, 117
Number of Veterans exempted from Poll Tax, 110

VIRGINIA THISTLETON
THOMAS ARNOLD
DOUGLAS FLEMING

Selectmen of Brookline

STATEMENT OF
APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 4,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,900.00
Election and Registration Expenses	450.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings Maint.	4,500.00
Police Department	2,600.00
Fire Department	3,100.00
Blister Rust - Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	300.00
Insurance	2,050.00
Dog Damages & Legal Expenses	500.00
Civil Defense	100.00
Vital Statistics	50.00
Town Dump	1,000.00
Town Maintenance - Roads Summer - $ 6,500 Winter - $ 2,450	8,950.00
Street Lighting	1,375.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept. (Blinser)	65.00
Town Road Aid	533.33
Libraries	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00
Public Relief - Town Poor & Aid to Disabled	1,500.00
Memorial Day	125.00
Parks and Playgrounds	100.00
Cemeteries	300.00
New Buildings and Land	600.00
New Equipment - Fire Dept.	660.00
Payment of Debt Interest - $1,000 Principal - $2,500	3,500.00
Capital Reserve Fund - To be raised by taxation	1,000.00
Total Town Appropriations	$ 42,558.33

LESS: ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS

Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 1,388.12
Savings Bank Tax	306.55
Meals and Room Tax	2,168.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	59.00
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	987.81
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	100.00
Dog Licenses	547.17
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,000.00
Rent of Town Property and Equip.	75.00
Income from Trust Funds	354.65
National Bank Stock Taxes	22.40
Poll Taxes - 1968 Warrant (467)	934.00
Surplus - Balance Sheet	28,000.00
Total Revenues and Credits	$ 44,942.30

Net Town Appropriations - Cr.	$ - 2,384.37
Net School Appropriations	162,159.57
County Tax Assessment	8,651.62
Total of Town, School & County	$ 162,426.82
Add: War Service Tax Credits	6,150.00
Add: Overlay	5,695.24
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	$ 180,272.06

Taxes to be committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	$ 180,272.06
War Service Tax Cr.	-6,150.00
Total Property Tax	$ 174,122.06
1968 Poll Taxes @ $ 2.00	934.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	22.40
Total Taxes to be Committed	$ 175,078.46

Tax Rate - $4.60 per $100.00

Report of Forest Fire Warden & District Chief

People cause fires. Our records show that the number of fires increase in an area as the population increases and our state is growing tremendously. This means that we all must be aware of fire causes and do our best to prevent their occurrence.

When we are very young the lighted matches is an adventure, burnt fingers and a dropped match is another fire. A little older we like to have woodland cookout, or go out by ourselves for a smoke but fire and forests get together for another statistic. We adults like to clean up in the spring, burn the old debris and the dead grass, result - escaped fires and much personal expense.

With new homes and summer cottages located in woodlands and with abandoned fields and forests crowding the back yard of our villages' streets, it is necessary that everyone be aware through the fire season, which comes with the disappearance of the snow, of the need to be careful with outdoor fires and fire sources.

The following action will help:

1. To teach our children the danger of lighted matches.
2. To never discard lighted smoking material from a car or while walking through fields or woods.
3 To safely dispose of rubbish preferable at the town dump. If you

The following action will help:

1. To teach our children the danger of lighted matches.
2. To never discard lighted smoking material from a car or while walking through fields or woods.
3. To safely dispose of rubbish preferably at the town dump. If you must burn -
   a. You need a written permit from the town fire warden for all debris burning except when the ground is covered with snow. Cooking fires in outdoor fireplaces or in charcoal brasiers in your own back yard is permitted on notification of the warden.
   b. The warden is forbidden by regulation to allow burning of household rubbish on grass by householders between 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.
4. Promptly report any fire out of control to your fire warden or fire department.

Help to keep our town out of the fire occurrence column and save your tax dollars for useful purposes.

Forest fire record for 1968:

	Number of Fires	Woodlands Burned
State	593	349
District	166	147½
Town	9	5

Erwin Corey Warden
Winthrop H. Hannaford District Chief

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1968

	Appropri-ations 1968	Receipts & Reimburse-ments	Total Amt Available	Expendi-tures	Unexpended Balance	Over-drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 4,000.00	$ 69.70	$ 4,069.70	$ 4,349.87	$	$ 349.87
Town Officers' Expenses	2,900.00		2,900.00	1,966.52	933.48	
Election & Registration	450.00		450.00	250.85	199.15	
Town Hall	4,500.00	92.00	4,592.00	2,722.03	1,869.97	
Police Dept.	2,600.00	250.15	2,650.15	2,840.88		190.73
Fire Dept.	3,100.00	558.75	3,658.75	3,575.68	83.07	
Care of Trees	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00		
Insurance	2,050.00	36.58	2,086.58	1,720.22	366.36	
Dog Damage - Legal	500.00		500.00	226.90	273.10	
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Vital Statistics	50.00		50.00	5.00	45.00	
Town Dump	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,099.00		99.00
Roads - Town Maint. - Summer	6,500.00		6,500.00	6,031.61	468.39	
Roads - Town Maint. - Winter	2,450.00		2,450.00	1,837.50	616.50	
Street Lighting	1,375.00			1,421.50		46.50
Traffic Beacon	65.00		65.00	43.90	21.10	
Town Road Aid	533.33		533.33	533.33		
Libraries	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,045.28		45.28
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00		1,800.00	485.55	1,314.45	
Town Poor	1,000.00	175.13	1,175.13	547.96	627.17	
Aid to Disabled	500.00		500.00		500.00	
Memorial Day	125.00		125.00		125.00	
Parks and Playgrounds	100.00		100.00	79.00	21.00	
Cemeteries	300.00		300.00	300.00		
New Equipment - Fire Dept.	660.00	300.00	990.00	1,031.72		41.72
Capital Reserve Fund	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Interest on Long Term Notes	1,000.00		1,000.00	943.60	56.40	
County Tax	8,651.62		8,651.62	8,651.62		
Schools	162,159.57		162,159.57	74,000.00	88,159.57	
Long Term Notes	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00		
TOTALS	$ 214,269.52	$ 1,782.31	$ 213,933.73	$ 120,509.52	$ 95,775.71	$ 773.10

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	
In hands of Treasurer	$ 64,814.76
Capital Reserve Funds	
Town Hall Fund	1,322.72
Highway Fund	1,780.18
Fire Equipment Fund	3,519.09
War Memorial Fund	866.71
Bicentennial Fund	2,344.03
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1967	1,957.06
Previous Years	580.42
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1968	46,625.30
State Head Taxes- Levy of 1968	610.00
Total Assets	$ 124,420.27
Grand Total	$ 124,420.27
Surplus, December 31, 1967	$ 38,998.28
Surplus, December 31, 1968	36,681.44
Decrease of Surplus	$ 2,316.84

LIABILITIES	
School Appropriation Bal. Due	$ 74,000.00
School Dodge Fund	350.87
Unexpended Balances of	
Town Hall Fund	225.00
Tape Recorder Fund	45.30
Springvale Avenue	400.00
Town Hall Equipment	553.96
Water Holes	9.94
Town Park	395.00
Radio Equipment	172.29
Civil Defense	587.47
Bond St. Fence	484.88
Due to State:	
(a) State Head Taxes - 1968	610.00
(b) Yield Tax-Bond & Debt Retirement	71.40
Capital Reserve Funds	9,832.72
Total Liabilities	$ 87,738.83
Excess of Assets Over Liabilities	36,681.44
Grand Total	$ 124,420.27

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

1.	Property Taxes - Current Year 1968	$ 124,914.90	
2.	Poll Taxes - Current Year 1968	642.00	
3.	National Bank Stock Taxes - 1968	22.40	
4.	Yield Taxes - 1968		
5.	State Head Taxes at $5.00 - 1968	2,255.00	
6.	Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		$ 127,834.30
7.	Property Taxes and Yield Taxes Previous Year		42,274.11
8.	Poll Taxes - Previous Year Incl. Penalties		313.20
9.	State Head Taxes at $5.00 Previous Years		725.00
10.	Interest Received in Taxes		928.81
11.	Penalties on State Head Taxes		83.50
12.	Tax Sales redeemed		2,492.65

From State:

14.	Interest and dividends tax	1,388.12
16.	Savings Bank Tax and Buildings and Loan Assoc. Tax	306.55
	Head Tax Reimbursement	15.26
21.	Fighting Forest Fires	37.58
25.	Rooms & Meal Tax	2,168.63

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

25.	Dog Licenses	563.58
26.	Business Licenses, permits and filing fees	232.00
28.	Rent of Town Property	92.00
30.	Income from Trust Funds	705.52
31.	Income from Departments	744.58
34.	Motor Vehicle Permits (1967 - $325.38 (1968 - $12,040.67) (1969 - $23.70)	12,389.75

Total Current Revenue Receipts $193,509.21

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE

39. Refunds	$ 244.83
40. Gifts	
Total Receipts other than Current Revenue	$ 244.83
Total Receipts from All Sources	$193,653.39
Cash on hand January 1, 1968	67,568.51
Grand Total	$261,221.80

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
1. Town Officers' Salaries		$ 4,349.87
2. Town Officers' Expenses		1,966.52
3. Election and registration expenses		250.85
5. Expenses Town Hall and other Town Buildings		2,722.03
Protection of Persons and Property:		
7. Police Department		2,840.88
9. Fire Department, Including Forest Fires		4,972.16
10. Moth Extermination - Blister Rust & Care of Trees		300.00
13. Insurance		1,720.22
15. Bounties		1.50
Health:		
17. Vital Statistics		5.00
19. Town Dump		1,099.00
Highways and Bridges:		
20. Town Road Aid		533.33
21. Town Maintenance	(Winter $1,837.50) (Summer $6,031.61)	7,869.11
Brush Cutting		352.50
22. Street Lighting		1,421.17
23. General Expenses of Highway Dept		43.90
Libraries:		
24. Libraries		1,045.28
Public Welfare:		
25. Old Age Assistance		485.55
26. Town Poor		547.96
27. Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled		0.00

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Veteran's Association	0.00	
Recreation:		
30. Parks and playgrounds, Including band concerts	$ 79.00	
Public Service Enterprises:		
32. Cemeteries, Including hearse hire	300.00	
Unclassified:		
34. Damages and Legal Expenses	226.90	
35. Advertising and Regional Assoc.	6.00	
36. Taxes bought by Town	3,168.05	
37. Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	138.22	
Planning & Zoning	26.00	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$ 36,169.72
Interest:		
40. Paid on Long Term Notes	$ 943.60	
Total Interest Payments		$ 943.60
Indebtedness:		
53. Payments on Long Term Notes	$ 2,500.00	
55. Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	2,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		$ 4,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
57. State Head Taxes paid State Treas. (1968 - $ 1,934.50) (Prior Years - $810.00)	2,744.50	
58. Payments to State a/c Yield Tax Bond and Debt Retirement	44.20	
59. Taxes paid to County	8,651.62	
61. Payments to School District	143,353.40	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		$ 154,793.72
Total Payments for All Purposes		196,407.04
Cash on Hand December 31, 1968		64,814.76
Grand Total		$ 261,221.80

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1.	Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 50,000.00
	Furniture and Equipment	3,800.00
2.	Libraries	1,500.00
	Furniture and Equipment	
3.	Police Department, Equipment	1,200.00
4.	Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	32,800.00
	Equipment	28,500.00
5.	Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	300.00
6.	Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	100.00
9.	Schools, Lands and Buildings	147,500.00
	Equipment	5,000.00
11.	All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds	None
12.	All other Property and Equipment:	
	Town Forest	2,500.00
	Town Dump	200.00
	Total	$ 273,400.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG LICENSE MONEY

Year 1968		
Received for 3 Kennel Licenses	$ 52.00	
Received for 158 Licenses at $2.00	316.00	
Received for 33 Licenses at $5.00	165.00	
Eleven Part Year Licenses:		
1 - 11 Mos.	1.87	
2 - 9 Mos.	3.06	
5 - 7 Mos.	6.30	
2 - 6 Mos.	3.50	
1 - 5 Mos.	.85	
56 Penalties	56.00	
		$604.58
Less 205 Issuance Fees	41.00	
Total Debits		563.58
Paid Town Treasurer		$563.58

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

Received for 45 Permits for Year 1967	$ 325.38	
Received for 924 Permits for Year 1968	12040.67	
Received for 3 Permits for Year 1969	23.70	
Paid Town Treasurer		$12,389.75

FILING FEES

Received for Town Meeting Filing Fees	$ 14.00	
Received for Recount of Ballots	10.00	
Received for September Primary Filing Fees	2.00	
Paid Town Treasurer		$ 26.00

HELEN D. BRIDGES
Town Clerk

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

	Levy of 1967 Dr.	
Uncollected Taxes - As of December 31, 1968		
Property Taxes	$ 42,037.80	
Poll Taxes	216.00	
Yield Taxes	265.20	$ 42,519.00
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$ 90.00	
Poll Taxes	38.00	$ 128.00
Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1968		
Property Taxes Interest	$ 948.00	
Poll Tax Interest	3.15	
Yield Tax Interest	7.95	$ 959.10
Penalties, Poll Tax Collected During Year		22.40
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 43,628.50

	Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1968:		
Property Taxes	$ 41,976.30	
Poll Taxes	224.00	
Yield Taxes	265.20	$ 42,465.50
Interest Collected During Year:		
Property Tax Interest	$ 948.00	
Poll Tax Interest	3.15	
Yield Tax Interest	7.95	$ 959.10
Penalties, Poll Collected During Year		22.40
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	$ 150.00	
Poll Taxes	30.00	
Yield Taxes	0.00	$ 180.00
Discount Allowed		1.50
Uncollected Taxes - as per Collector's List		0.00
TOTAL CREDITS		$ 43,628.50

Summary Of Warrant

State Head Tax

Levy Of 1968
Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Original Warrant	$2,975.00	
Added Taxes	50.00	$3,025.00
Penalties, Collected		11.00
Total Debits		$3,036.00

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	$2,255.00	
Penalties	11.00	$2,266.00
Abatements		160.00
Uncollected Head Taxes as Per Collector's List		610.00
Total Credits		$3,036.00

Florence M. Marshall
Tax Collector

Summary of Warrant

State Head Tax

Levy Of 1967
Dr.

Uncollected Taxes As Of January 1, 1968	$ 715.00	
Added Taxes During 1968	95.00	
Penalties Collected During 1968	72.00	
Total Debits		$ 882.50

Cr.

Remittances To Treasurer During 1968		
Head Taxes	$ 725.00	
Penalties	72.50	
		$ 797.50
Abatements During 1968		85.00
Uncollected Head Taxes As Per Collector's List		0.00
Total Credits		$ 882.50

Florence M. Marshall
Tax Collector

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR
Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1968

		Dr.	
Taxes Committed To Collector:			
Property Taxes		$ 174,210.11	
Poll Taxes		934.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes		22.40	
Total Warrant			$ 175,166.51
Yield Taxes			71.40
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes		$ 1,225.12	
Poll Taxes		24.00	1,249.12
Penalties, Poll			15.80
Interest Collected:			
Property Tax Interest		$ 9.96	
Poll Tax Interest		.09	
Yield Tax Interest		0.00	10.05
TOTAL DEBITS			$ 176,512.88

		Cr.	
Remittances To Treasurer:			
Property Taxes		$ 124,914.90	
Poll Taxes		696.90	
National Bank Stock Taxes		22.40	
Yield Taxes		0.00	
Penalties, Poll		15.80	
Interest Collected:			
Property Tax Interest	$9.96		
Poll Tax Interest	.09		
Yield Tax Interest	0.00		
		10.05	$ 125,659.15
Discount Allowed:			2,442.58
Abatements:			
Proberty Taxes		$ 1,452.45	
Poll Taxes		66.00	1,518.45
Uncollected Taxes as Per Collector's List:			
Property Taxes		$ 46,625.30	
Poll Taxes		196.00	
Yield Taxes		71.40	$ 46,892.70
TOTAL CREDITS			$ 176,512.88

FLORENCE M. MARSHALL
Tax Collector

Summary Of Tax Sale Accounts

As Of December 31, 1968

Dr.

Tax Sale On Account Of Levies Of:	1967	1968	1965	1960
A. Taxes Sold To Town During Current Fiscal Year	$3,168.05			
B. Balance of Unredeemed Taxes as Of January 1, 1968	0.00	$1,611.57	$133.95	$7.25
Interest Collected After Sale	10.89	69.85	25.57	0.00
Redemption Costs	3.00			
Total Debits	$3,181.94	$1,681.42	$159.52	$7.25

Cr.

Remittances To Treasurer During Year	$1,224.88	$1,127.49	$140.28	$0.00
Unredeemed Taxes At Close Of Year	1,957.06	553.93	19.24	7.25
Total Credits	$3,181.94	$1,681.42	$159.52	$7.25

Treasurer's Report

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1968		$ 67,568.51
Florence M. Marshall, Collector		
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1965	$ 140.28	
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1966	1,127.49	
Property Tax, 1967	42,376.30	
Property Tax Interest, 1967	948.22	
Poll Tax, 1967	224.00	
Poll Tax Penalties, 1967	22.40	
Poll Tax Interest, 1967	3.15	
Head Tax, 1967	725.00	
Head Tax Penalties, 1967	72.50	
Yield Tax, 1967	265.20	
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1967	1,224.88	
Property Tax, 1968	124,914.90	
Property Tax Interest, 1968	9.96	
Poll Tax, 1968	696.00	
Poll Tax Penalties, 1968	12.80	
Poll Tax Interest, 1968	.09	
Head Tax, 1968	2,255.00	
Head Tax Penalties, 1968	11.00	
Bank Stock, 1968	22.40	
		$ 174,651.57
Helen D. Bridges, Clerk		
M. V. Permits	$ 12,389.75	
Dog License	563.58	
Filing Fees	16.00	
Recount	10.00	
		$ 12,979.33
		$ 255,199.41
State of New Hampshire		
Training Meeting	$ 26.02	
Interest and Dividends	1,694.67	
Forest Fire Reimbursement	23.50	
Forest Fire Reimbursement	14.08	
Proceeds Meals & Rooms Tax	2,168.63	
Head Tax Reimbursement	15.26	
		$ 3,942.16
Thomas I. Arnold, Jr.		
Pistol Permits	$ 18.00	
Building Permits	15.00	
		$ 33.00

Worcester County Bank		
Dodge Fund		$ 705.52
Erwin E. Corey, Warden		
Pumping Cellars	$ 133.00	
Use of Fire Trucks	265.00	
Refund	10.00	
		$ 408.00
Brookline Fire Dept.		
New Equipment Fund		$ [illegible].00
Fred Whitten		
Reimbursement - Forest Fire		$ 37.15
Harry Chorney		
Care of Children		$ 175.13
Eliza Wright, Janitor		
Rent - Town Hall		$ 25.00
Douglas J. Felming		
Rent - Town Hall		$ 5.00
Mrs. Stout		
Rent		$ 2.00
Grover C. Farwell		
Rent		$ 10.00
Clarence L. Farwell		
Rent - Old Fire House		$ 50.00
Alvin W. Taylor, Chief		
Parking Fines		$ 50.15
Gardner Bensen		
Refund - Salary	$ 69.70	
Building Permits	8.00	
		$ 77.70
Walter W. Frost		
Building Permits	$ 48.00	
Pistol Permits	12.00	
		$ 60.00
Harland H. Holt, Inc.		
Insurance Credits		$ 36.58

Douglas J. Fleming	
Building Permits	$ 105.00
	$ 261,221.80
Less Expenses	196,407.04
	$ 64,814.76

Louise E. Corey
Treasurer

Summary of Receipts

Balance, January 1, 1968	$ 67,568.51
1968 Property Tax	124,914.90
1968 Poll Tax	642.00
National Bank Stock Tax	22.40
1968 Head Tax	2,255.00
1967 Property Tax	42,008.91
1967 Poll Tax	278.00
1967 Yield Tax	265.20
1967 Head Tax	725.00
Interest on Taxes	928.81
Head Tax Penalties	83.50
Tax Sales Redeemed	2,492.65
Poll Tax Penalties	35.20
State of New Hampshire	3,979.31
Dog Licenses	563.58
Business Licenses & Filing Fees	232.00
Rent of Town Property	92.00
Income from Trust Funds (Dodge Fund)	705.52
Income from Departments	794.73
Registration of Motor Vehicles	12,389.75
Refunds and Reimbursements	244.83
Total Receipts	$ 261,221.80
Total Payments	196,407.04
Balance, December 31, 1968	$ 64,814.76

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 4,349.87
Town Officers' Expenses	1,966.52
Election and Registration	250.85
Town Hall	2,722.03
Police Department	2,840.88
Fire Department	4,743.77
Care of Trees	300.00
Bounties	1.50
Insurance	1,720.22
Vital Statistics	5.00
Town Dump	1,099.00
Road Maintenance - Summer	5,679.11
Road Maintenance - Winter	1,837.50
Brush Cutting	352.50
Town Road Aid	533.33
Street Lighting	1,421.17
Traffic Beacon	43.90
Libraries	1,045.28
Old Age Assistance	485.55
Town Poor	547.96
Memorial Day	
Recreation - Parks and Playgrounds	79.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Legal Expenses and Dog Expenses	226.90
Discounts and Abatements	138.32
Taxes Bought by Town	3,168.05
New Equipment (Fire Dept. & Comm.)	1,168.09
Capital Reserve	2,000.00
State and County	11,491.48
Schools	143,353.40
Fire - Water Holes	228.39
Indebtedness Payments	2,500.00
Indebtedness Interest	943.60
Total Payments	$ 196,407.04

DETAILED STATEMENT

OF RECEIPTS

Florence M. Marshall, Tax Collector:		
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1965	$ 140.28	
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1966	1,127.49	
Property Tax, 1967	42,376.30	
Property Tax Interest, 1967	948.22	
Head Tax, 1967	725.00	
Head Tax Penalties, 1967	72.50	
Poll Tax, 1967	224.00	
Poll Tax Penalties, 1967	22.40	
Poll Tax, Interest, 1967	3.15	
Tax Sales Redeemed, 1967	1,224.88	
Yield Tax, 1967	265.20	
Property Tax, 1968	124,914.90	
Property Tax Interest, 1968	9.96	
Head Tax, 1968	2,255.00	
Head Tax Penalties, 1968	11.00	
Poll Tax, 1968	696.00	
Poll Tax Penalties, 1968	12.80	
Poll Tax Interest, 1968	.09	
Yield Tax, 1968		
Bank Stock Taxes, 1968	22.40	
		$ 174,651.57
Helen D. Bridges, Town Clerk:		
1968 Dog Licenses	$ 563.58	
1967 Motor Vehicle Permits	325.38	
1968 Motor Vehicle Permits	12,040.67	
1969 Motor Vehicle Permits	23.70	
		$ 12,953.33
Donation, Fire Dept.	$ 300.00	
New Equipment		$ 300.00
State of New Hampshire:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 1,388.12	
Savings Bank Tax	306.58	
Head Tax Reimbursement	15.26	
Refund Forest Fires	37.58	
Training for Fire	26.02	
Rooms & Meals Tax Proceeds	2,168.63	
		$ 3,942.19
Thomas I. Arnold, Jr. - Pistol Permits	$ 18.00	
Thomas I. Arnold, Jr. - Bldg. Permits	15.00	
Worcester County Bank - Dodge Fund	705.52	
Erwin E. Corey - Warden - Pumping Cellars	133.00	
Erwin E. Corey - Warden - Use of Fire Trucks	265.00	
Erwin E. Corey - Refund	10.00	

Brookline Fire Dept. - Donation	300.00	
Fred Whitten - Reimbursement for Forest Fire	37.15	
Reimbursement - care of children	175.13	
Eliza Wright - Rent Town Hall	25.00	
Douglas Fleming - Rent Town Hall	5.00	
Mrs. Stout - Rent	2.00	
Grover Farwell, Sr. - Rent	10.00	
Clarence Farwell - Rent Old Fire House	50.00	
Alvin Taylor, Chief - Parking Fines	50.15	
Gardner Benson - Refund Salary	69.70	
Gardner Benson - Bldg. Permits	$ 8.00	
Walter W. Frost - Bldg. Permits	48.00	
Walter W. Frost - Pistol Permits	12.00	
Harland Holt, Ins. - Insurance Credit	36.58	
Douglas Fleming - Bldg. Permits	105.00	
		$ 193,653.29
Balance, January 1, 1968		67,568.51
Grand Total		$ 261,221.80

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Helen Bridges - Town Clerk	$ 1,018.00	
Walter Frost - Secy Salary '67	46.58	
Walter Frost - Selectmen	50.82	
Florence Marshall - Tax Collector	1,496.91	
Roseanne Dougherty - Secy to Selectmen	38.36	
Marcia Farwell - Overseer of Poor	200.00	
Erwin Corey - Fire Engr.	40.00	
George Joki, Jr. - Fire Engr.	40.00	
Grover Farwell, Jr. - Fire Engr.	40.00	
Alan Knowles - Fire Steward	100.00	
Louise Corey - Treasurer	200.00	
Virginia Thistleton - Selectman	250.00	
Thomas Arnold - Selectman	250.00	
Douglas Fleming - Selectman	187.56	
Florence Palmer - Secy to Selectman	201.64	
Mary Dulac - Secy to Selectmen to 3/11/69	150.00	
Pearline Burgess - Secy to Selctmen	40.00	
		$ 4,349.87

Town Officers' Expenses

N. H. City & Town Clerk's Assoc.-Dues	$ 6.00	
Townell Printing - Town Reports	713.00	
Rodney Wright-Postmaster-Postage	74.45	
Registry of Deeds-Deed Notices	14.00	
Young's Sales & Services-Supplies and 2 Typewriters	272.50	
Treas.-State of N. H. - RSA Instr. Books	16.00	
Florence Marshall - Expenses	110.26	
N. E. Assoc. City & Town Clerks Dues	5.00	
Marion C. Guyer - N. H. Tax Collectors Assoc. - Dues	5.00	
The Brookliner - Notices	31.50	
Helen Bridges-Supplies & Expenses	175.49	
Edson C. Eastman-Office Supplies	31.90	
Walter Frost - Expenses	24.00	
Virginia Thistleton - Expenses	15.00	
Harland Holt - Town Officers Bonds	74.00	
Phaneuf Press - Supplies	69.35	
Lowell Stationery - Supplies	27.84	
Homestead Press - Supplies	36.35	
Business Envel. Mfg. Co.-Envelopes	16.40	
N. H. Municipal Assoc. - Dues	2.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. V. Thistleton-Telephone	6.82	
F. H. Palmer - Postage	2.46	
Total		$1,966.52

Election & Registration

Orville Fessenden - Moderator	$ 42.00	
Miriam Jepson - Supv. Checklist (wages & expenses)	27.00	
Grover Farwell, Jr. - Supv. Checklist	25.00	
Dorothy Russell - Checklist	25.00	
Dorothy Haight - Ballot Clerk	30.00	
Norman Spencer - Ballot Clerk	10.00	
Helen Rockwood - Ballot Teller	30.00	
Louella Donaghy - Ballot Clerk	20.00	
Aurelia Kulik - Ballot Teller	10.00	
E. C. Eastman - Supplies	4.32	
Townell Printing	27.38	
Total		$ 250.85

Town Hall & Other

Buildings

Eliza Wright - custodian	$ 480.00	
Public Service	264.92	
G. A. Shattuck - oil	1,682.65	
Paul Porter - plumbing	48.33	
Grover C. Farwell, Sr. - maintenance	14.88	
Hodson Fire Equipment - curfew regltr.	100.00	
Ernest Hasu - painting	24.40	
Hammar Hdwe. - locks	14.40	
Harland Holt - Boiler Inspect.	5.00	
New England Tel.	5.23	
Sears Roebuck - shelving	82.22	
		$ 2,722.03

Police Department

Chief Alvin Taylor - wages and supplies	$1,864.00	
Robert Donaghy - wages	214.00	
Harold Rhoades - wages	369.00	
Willard Cummings - wages	36.00	
Earl Bosque - wages	10.00	
Steve Lundy - wages	10.00	
L. E. Corey - supplies	23.04	
Old R. R. Snack Bar - batteries, etc.	8.15	
Cabinet Press - letterheads	15.50	
Scientific Detention	31.20	
Blackinton Agency - badges	43.19	
Morey's Men Store - uniforms	42.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. - Police Phone	174.80	
		$ 2,840.88

Fire Department

Public Service - lights	$237.22	
New England Tel & Tel - phone	318.70	
Alan Fessenden, Treas. - firemen's wages and salaries	641.50	
E. C. Fessenden Co. - supplies, etc.	191.87	
Harry Graves - Oxygen & Co_2 , etc.	37.35	
Erwin Corey - forest fires	716.48	
Auto Electric Service	12.81	
Potanipo Garage - supplies, etc.	117.92	
N. Middlesex Mutlaid - dues		
Firemen's Retirement Board - dues	20.00	
N. H. State Firemen's Assoc. - dues	23.00	
Corey's Gulf Station - supplies	87.57	
Hammar Hardware Co. - piping supplies	71.92	
Phelps Photo, Inc. - maps	2.00	
R. Rosenbloom Paper - supplies	11.13	
Brookline Village Store - baking soda	3.50	
Hodson Fire Equipment Co. - supplies	315.30	
Johnson Electric Supply	25.25	
State of N. H. - tools	42.51	
Farrar Co. - boots, coat rails	480.00	
Souhegan Mutual Aid Assoc. - dues	5.00	
Grover Farwell, Sr. - supplies (pipe fittings)	57.25	
Grover Farwell, Jr. - supplies, etc.	19.40	
Firemen's Retirement Board	138.00	
		$3,575.68

Care of Trees

C. L. Farwell - Tree Removal	$ 293.00	
G. Farwell, Sr. - Inspection	7.00	
		$ 300.00

Bounties

James Austin, Jr.		$ 1.50

Insurance

Harland Holt, Inc. - Money, Securities Workmen's Comp., Multi Peril Boiler Fire Dept. Truck	$ 1,513.22	
Slawsby Insurance - Firemen's Ins.	207.00	
		$ 1,720.22

Vital Statistics

Helen D. Bridges - Marriages & Deaths		5.00

Town Dump

Mildred Davis - Wages	$ 655.00	
Clarence Farwell - Gravel & Bulldozing	414.00	
Potanipo Garage - Repair Gate	5.00	
L. A. Declos - Sign	25.00	
		$ 1,099.00

Roads, Summer Maintenance

Arvo C. Bedder, Maintenance Bills	$ 6,031.61	
* $199.58 - not paid in 1968	199.58 *	
		$ 6,231.89

Roads, Winter Maintenance

Clarence L. Farwell - Snow Plowing Contract		$ 1,837.50

Town Road Aid

State of N. H. - Town's Share of TRA		$ 533.33

Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H. - Street Lights		$ 1,421.17

Traffic Beacon

Public Service Co. of N. H.		$ 43.90

Libraries

Brookline Public Library - 1966 Appropriation		$ 1,045.28

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire Town's Share (25 per cent)		$ 485.55

Town Poor

Mrs A. Novick - Child Care	$ 226.73	
W. T. Grant - Clothing	24.63	
Mrs E. Paquin - Child Care	211.65	
Bergh's Shoe Store - Shoes	9.95	
Mrs P. Yeaton - Child Care	75.00	
		$ 547.96

Memorial Day

Memorial Day, Treasurer Committee 1968 Appropriation		$ 0.00

Recreation

Constance Young, Swimming Lessons	$ 75.00	
C. Farwell - Installing Signs	5.00	
		$ 79.00

Cemeteries

Treasurer, Cemetery Trustees 1966 Appropriation		$ 300.00

Fire or Water Holes

C. Farwell		$ 228.39

Taxes Bought by Town

Florence M. Marshall - Collector 1966 Levy		$ 3,168.05

Dog Damages and Legal Expenses

F. E. Eastman - Dog Tags and Dog License Book	$ 22.10	
Brookliner - Dog Notice	7.00	
Harold Rhoades	12.00	
Robert Donaghy	21.00	
Norman Williams	52.00	
Alvin Taylor	112.80	
		$ 226.90

Discounts and Abatements

George Bramley - Tax Abatement	$ 49.00	
A. Hall - Refund Motor Vehicle Reg.	23.99	
F. Dougherty - Refund Motor Vehicle Reg.	14.92	
M. Marshall - Refund Motor Vehicle Reg.	26.16	
R. W. Poland - Motor Vehicle Reg.	8.33	
J. Normandie - Bldg. Permit	6.00	
J. Gill - R. E. Abatement	9.92	
		$ 138.22

Indebtedness Payments

Union National Bank -		
fire station - note	$ 2,500.00	
fire station - interest	943.60	
Trustee Trust Funds		
capital reserve, fire dept. & bi-centennial	2,000.00	
		$ 5,443.60

State and County

State Treasurer - Head Taxes	$ 2,744.20	
Bonds & Dept. Retirement	44.20	
Hillsborough County Treasurer		
1968 - County Tax	8,651.62	
		$ 11,440.02

Schools

School District Treasurer		
1968 Appropriation	$162,159.57	
Paid on 1968 Appropriation	74,000.00	
Paid on 1967 Appropriation	69,353.40	
		$143,353.40

Report of the Road Agent 1968

1968	Maintenance Appropriation	$ 4,000.00	
1968	Tarring Appropriation	2,000.00	
1968	Brush Cutting Appropriation	500.00	
	Total Road Maintenance Appropriation		$6,500.00

Nashua Sand & Gravel ---- Patching Material	118.83	
William Tapply ---- Sand	28.80	
Marjorie Hazeltine ---- Sand	77.00	
Nashua Sand & Gravel ---- Crushed Gravel	226.70	
William Tapply ---- Planks	9.60	
Merrimack Farmers ---- 1 Ton Salt	34.00	
Clarence Farwell ---- General Maintenance	352.75	
----- Bohanon Bridge Repairs	44.00	
----- Bohanon Bridge Road Approach	197.00	
----- Patching	239.00	
----- Steam Mill Hill Rd., Culvert & Catch Basin	327.36	
----- Grading	296.25	
----- Old Milford Road, Graveling	268.00	
----- Sanding	1403.50	
Total		$3,622.79

Mystic Bituminous ---- 5,582 Gals.	959.55	
Nashua Sand & Gravel ---- Washed Sand	289.30	
R. Remick ---- Sander (2 Days)	144.00	
Edgar Thibodeau ---- Sweeping Roads	72.80	
Edgar Thibodeau ---- 2 Sanders (2 days)	288.00	
Clarence Farwell ---- Preparing Roads	502.25	
		$2,255.90

E. Dale Ward ---- Tractor	352.50	
		$352.50

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$ 6,231.19
UNEXPENDED BALANCE	268.81

Arvo Bedders
Road Agent

Trustees of Trust Funds
Brookline, N. H.

Cash Receipts and Expenditures - 1968

GENERAL FUNDS	Receipts	Expenses	Balance
Balance, Jan. 1, 1968	$ 1,875.56	$	
C. F. Rutter, Bookkeeper		50.00	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange		42.05	
Clarence Farwell		48.00	
Grover Farwell, Jr.		21.00	
Grover Farwell, Sr.		426.97	
George Davis		6.00	
Ellwood Perry		23.63	
Sears, Roebuck & Company		20.00	
Erwin Corey		45.00	
Town Appropriation	300.00		
	$ 2,175.56	$ 682.65	$ 1,492.91
PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS			
Balance, Jan. 1, 1968	$ 6,560.14	$	
Brookline Public Library		415.00	
Paul Ward		41.25	
Frank Ward		23.13	
Grover Farwell, Sr.		190.00	
David Farwell		64.00	
Interest on Investments	423.97		
Interest on Bank Deposits	1,596.39		
	$ 8,580.50	$ 733.38	$ 7,847.12
Total, General and Perpetual Care Funds, Jan. 1, 1969			$ 9,340.03

CEMETERY LOT SALE FUND

Balance, Jan. 1, 1968	$ 1,785.26
William and Marie Brown	15.00
Aurlene and Norman Homoleski	20.00
Catherine Simon	10.00
Interest, 1968	91.23
	$ 1,921.49

CHARLOTTE WRIGHT LIBRARY MEMORIAL FUND

Balance, Jan. 1, 1968	
Contributions	588.50
Interest, 1968	17.20
	$ 605.70

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS	Balance 1/1/68	Interest 1968	Town Appro. 1968	Expended 1968	Balance 12/31/68
Town Hall Fund	$ 2,953.95	$ 65.89	$	$ 1,697.12	$ 1,322.72
Highway Fund	1,694.43	85.75			1,780.18
Fire Equipment	2,397.73	121.36	1,000.00		3,519.09
War Memorial	826.99	39.72			866.71
School District	17,592.56	52.08	2,500.00	17,592.56	2,552.08
1969 Bi-Centennial	1,283.51	60.52	1,000.00		2,344.03
	$26,749.17	$ 425.32	$ 4,500.00	$19,289.68	$12,384.81

PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Legacies reported Dec. 31, 1967	$35,527.99
Legacies received in 1968	
1. Grover C. Farwell Lot	200.00
2. George F. Farwell Lot	200.00
3. Wesley Jillson (half lot)	100.00
4. Oscar and Eva Elliott Lot	200.00
5. Carl E. and Blanche G. Clifford Lot	200.00
6. Dunphee Lot (Bessie Grau)	200.00
Total Legacies, Dec. 31, 1968	$38,165.96

SECURITES AND DEPOSITS

Manchester Federal Savings	$10,000.00
Second National Bank	10,000.00
Fidelity Fund - 248 shares @ 20.80	5,158.40
Puritan Fund - 379 shares @ 12.42	4,707.18
Braod Street Invest. Corp. - 244 shares @ 16.59	4,047.96
Nashua Federal Savings	4,252.42
	$38,165.96

Grover C. Farwell, Sr.
Charles F. Rutter
Ellwood Perin
Trustees of Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE TOWN AUDITORS

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Library Trustees, Fire Warden, History Committee, Melendy Pond Authority, Building Inspector, Civil Defense Director, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Philip Chandler
Herbert G. Benton

Auditors

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

The Brookline Public Library had a very successful year. The total circulation of books was 8,642. Of these, 2,949 were adult and 5,963 were juvenile, making an increase of almost 2,500 books over last year.

In February, people interested in the library started an organization called THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY. The main purpose of this organization is to help our library in any way it can.

Mrs. Geraldine Phillips was appointed the new Librarian following the death of Mrs. Charlotte Wright on April 20. 1968. Mrs. Wright had been our Librarian for more than twenty years. Friends of Mrs. Wright have started a memorial fund.

During April, the library moved to its new rooms. We wish to thank everyone who participated in painting and helped in moving.

Story hours were held during the summer months by the FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY. With the FRIENDS help, the library is now open on Monday nights from 7 until 9 p.m. In September, THE FRIENDS group started showing films once a month. These films included something of interest for all ages.

Open house was held on November 19, 1968, in order that the townspeople could see the new rooms.

The total number of books acquired during the year was 501. Almost 300 of these were donated. Fifty record albums, new drapes, two file cabinets, with films and books were also donated to the library.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. CHARLOTTE FARWELL
MRS. BEATRICE DENEHY
MRS. JUDITH POTTER
Library Trustees

Special Appropriations Report from the
Trustees of the Brookline Public Library

Under Article #7, at the annual town meeting in March, 1968, the town voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for the purchase of furniture and equipment for the Brookline Public Library.

The following is a list of what was purchased:

April 18, 1968, Lumbertown, Milford, N. H.	
Bookcases	$ 142.62
August 15, 1968, Christian Delivery and Chair Service	
2 Tables and 20 Chairs	186.45
September 18, 1968, Demco	
Magazine rack and Book cart	122.00
December 13, 1968, Young's Sales and Service	
Typewriter	50.00
Total amount spent	$ 501.07

Respectfully Submitted,

CHARLOTTE FARWELL
BEATRICE DENEHY
JUDITH POTTER

Library Trustees

Report of Library Trustees

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1968	$ 86.56	
Income from Trust Funds	415.00	
Town Appropriation	500.00	
Income from fines	180.25	
Sale of books	8.00	
Reimbursement of lost books	13.67	
		$ 1203.48

Expenditures

Librarian's salary	$ 401.50	
Book Purchases	619.91	
Magazines	14.75	
Misc.	34.54	
Supplies	62.47	
Equipment	6.69	
		$ 1139.86

Balance on Hand December 31, 1968

Union National Bank	$ 24.37	
On deposit at State Library	37.70	
Cash on hand	1.55	
		$ 63.62

State Aid

Deposited by State	$ 100.00	
Expended on Books	83.45	
State Aid on hand		$ 16.55

BEATRICE O. DENEHY

Trustee Treasurer

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

1968

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the Board of Selectmen for the co-operation and support they have given to me and to my department during the year 1968.

As you will see by the police activity report, there is a never ending increase in police activity here as well as all over our country and according to all forecast this will continue for some time to come.

This year as in the past the officers have attended police schools, mettings and training sessions with other departments in order to keep abreast of the never ending change in laws and new and revised methods of police practice.

In closing I would like to thank our local newspaper "The Brookliner" for its support. Also I would like to express my gratitude to the members of my Department for their support, fine work and many hours of services. Last but not least I would like to thank the many townspeople through their support and co-operation have helped to make my job more pleasant and my department more efficient. THANK YOU

Respectfully submitted;

Alvin W. Taylor
Chief of Police
Brookline, N.H.

ACTIVITY REPORT

Aid to other departments	141
Aid from other departments	33
Attempted Breaking & Entering	41
Breaking & Entering	28
Boating Accidents	3
Complaints other than motor vehicle	613
Emergency Calls	41
Wanted Persons Alprehended	14
Juvenile Cases Investigated	61
Larceny	33
Non-Support	2
Property Lost & Found	16
Persons Lost & Found	7
Vandalism	45

MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITY

	21
	158
Automobile Accidents	42
Motor Vehicle Complaints	32
Defective Equipment Checked	25
Licenses Revoked by Request	19
Parking Tickets Issued	181
Stolen Cars Investigated	64
Warnings for Violations	51
Summons to Court	
Summons served for other depats.	

WAGES and HOURS

Alvin W. Taylor Chief
Hours worked 1470
Miles traveled in performance of duty 5,134

Total Wages Received $ 1,864.00

Robert Donaghy
Hours worked 295 plus several hundred
miles in own personal car during tour of duty

Total Wages Received $ 214.00

Harold Rhoades
Hours worked 460 plus several hundred
miles in own personal car during tour of duty

Total Wages Received $ 369.00

Willard Cummings
Hours worked 24

Total Wages Received $ 36.00

Earl Bosque
Duty at Halloween Time $ 10.00

Steven Lundy
Duty at Halloween Time $ 10.00

Total Expenditures for
Wages $ 2,503.00

During 1968, the police department worked a total of 2,290 hours at a cost of $ 2,503.00 to the town. This does not include any milage used by the Officers or Chiefs personal cars during performance of duty.

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Supplies & Equipment

L. E. Corey	supplies	$ 31.19
Milford Cabinet Press		15.50
Scientific Detection Services		31.20
Blackington Agency	badges	43.19
Morey's Men Shop	uniforms	42.00
	Total	$ 163.08
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	Police Phone	$ 174.80

1968 ANNUAL REPORT

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Wages	$ 2,503.00
Supplies & Equipment	163.08
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Police Phone	174.80
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$ 2,840.88
Less reimbursements from parking fines Turned in to Town Treasurer	50.00
Total Expense for Police	$ 2,790.08
1968 Appropriation	2,600.00
Overdraft of	$ 190.88

1968

ANNUAL POLICE REPORT OF DOG ACTIVITY

COMPLAINTS & DAMAGES

Calls and Complaint re; dogs	81
Dogs Killed by Cars	19
Dogs destroyed by Police Dept.	16
Dogs Running Deer	22
Delinquent dog licenses collected by police	45

Expenses

Alvin W. Taylor	Answering complaints, calls and collecting delinquent licenses 95 hours	$ 95.00
Robert Donaghy	Answering complaints, calls and investigations 14 hours	$ 21.00
Harold Rhoades	Answering complaints, calls and investigations 8 hours	$ 12.00
Norman Williams	For picking up, destroying and burying dogs (21)	$ 52.00
Form letters, Postage, certified mail, notices		$ 18.10
	Total Expenses incurred from dog complaints and activity.	$198.10

Report of Forest Fire Warden

Dr.

March 28	Training Meeting	$ 52.03	
April 5	Forest fire	174.40	
April 10	Forest fire	37.15	
April 12	Dump fire	44.15	
April 12	Forest fire	81.00	
April 21	Forest fire	23.10	
April 23	Forest fire	38.15	
May 26	Dump fire	46.40	
August 16	Forest fire	133.40	
October 14	Forest fire	39.05	
December 13	Forest fire	38.65	
			$ 707.48

Cr.

Reimbursement from State of N. H.	$ 63.60 *	
Reimbursement from Fred Whitten	37.15	
Erwin E. Corey, use of trucks	265.00	
Erwin E. Corey, error in addition	10.00	
		$ 375.75
* More reimbursement due from State.		
Net Cost of Forest Fires		$ 331.73

ERWIN E. COREY
Forest Fire Warden

Annual Report of the Fire Department 1968

Building Report

During the past year the Fire Department has moved into the new fire House. The members of the Department have brought materials and furnished the labor to put in a Meeting Room and shelves for the Radio Room. The firemen worked many hours installing the fire alarm system. Most of the wire for the alarm system was donated. The landscaping was accomplished with the help of the following townspeople: Edward Veno donated the loam, Clarence Farwell the loading, Arthur Bent Jr. and Ralph Bent the hauling, Eddy Whitcomb donated his tractor for the leveling, Arvo Bedders the Hot Top which Clarence Farwell laid. The firemen seeded the lawn and planted the shrubs.

Equipment

During the past year the pump on the 1929 truck has been rebuilt, the only cost to the town being the bearings. Extensive repairs have bee n completed on the 1939 truck. All the fire engines are in good condition now.

The town has bought two Scott Air Paks. The firemen donated an Emerson Resuscitator. Three protective coats were bought with town funds. The chief and assistant chief purchased their own coats, boots, and helments. Two firemen purchased boots of their own.

This year we are asking for new coats and boots. After twenty years use, the old ones are worn out. 500 feet of 1-1/8" hose is also needed.

Training

The firemen completed a course of "Ventilation" offered by the New Hampshire Fire Training Service.

The Department Answered 50 Calls

House fires	3	Trailers	2
Resuscitator	4	Chimney fires	3
Pumping out cellars	9	Brush fires	7
Dump fires	5	Smoke calls	7
Wash gas	2	Burning without permit	2
Service calls	2	Miscellaneous	2
Mutual aid given	3	Mutual aid given	3

On behalf of the Department, I wish to thank the townspeople for being fire conscious and preventing fires. In closing I wish to thank the firemen for their co-operation and hours of service.

Respectfully submitted

Erwin E. Corey
Fire Chief
Brookline, N.H.

Melendy Pond Authority

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1968		$ 3,267.11
Douglas Adams	$ 35.00	
Wallace Bruce	55.00	
Fred C. Brown	60.00	
Everett C. Adams	35.00	
Joshua C. Price	35.00	
Louis Ansaldo	35.00	
Elsi Jarvi	35.00	
Lee Larson	70.00	
Robert LaRose	25.00	
Alfred L Elliott, Jr.	35.00	
Alfred L. Elliott, Jr.	35.00	
Stephen F. Wiles	60.00	
Horace Dean	35.00	
Wallace King	25.00	
Theodore Kelley	40.00	
Vincent Anderson	35.00	
Fred Nelson	60.00	
Arthur C. Atwood	40.00	
James Courage	65.00	
Frederick Spring	60.00	
Sylva Phillie	30.00	
John Perin	35.00	
Arnold K. MacNeil	60.00	
Fred H. Walker	60.00	
Donald R. Weitala	35.00	
Gale S. Tyler	70.00	
Earle A. Graves	40.00	
Rudolph Daniels	35,00	
Aero Service Corporation	89.40	
		$ 1,329.40
		$ 4,596.51

Expenses		
James D. Austin	$ 133.80	
Thomas F. Moran	6.10	
Clarence L. Farwell	500.00	
Aero Service	89.40	
Thomas F. Moran	44.70	
		$ 774.00
	Balance	$ 3,822.51

LOUISE E. COREY

Treasurer

MELENDY POND REPORT OF 1968

The assessed value of the Melendy Pond area this past year was $101,950 which produced $4,689.70 in tax revenue for the Town. In addition to this income a small surplus was realized from leases as noted in the treasures' report.

On site improvements accomplished this past year include a bathing area developed for the Melendy Pond residents, and the beginning of a general survey of the entire area with the intention of mapping the lot lines and roadway limits.

Also legal service was sought with the intention of clarifying the status of Melendy Pond articles presented in the warrant over the past several years.

Vincent Anderson	(non-resident)
Louise Corey	Treasurer
Earle Soper	Chairman
Thomas Moran	Secretary
Stanley Reynolds	
Hector Homoleski	

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD 1968

After reviewing several areas in which we might strengthen the zoning code passed last year, the Board felt that perhaps given a year in which to function, any short comings would become evident. At that time we proposed to offer an article in the warrant seeking funds for a Town map which we felt could be well utilized as the Town continued to grow.

During the winter we were contacted by a group of citizens who were concerned over the latitude our ordinance allowed for the location of trailer parks. Since this group comprised a large cross section of our community we felt an amendment to our zoning code might be what the Town desired at this time, hence, we have offered the recently advertised amendment for the Town's consideration.

Earle Soper, Chairman
Clarence Farwell
Bruce Wierenga
Cecil Thistleton
Douglas Fleming, Selectmen

Conservation Commission Report

The Conservation Commission was not as active in 1968 as in the first year of operation. The principal area of interest has been in the preservation of the Nissitissit River. Members of the Commission have been active participants in the discussions and plans which have led to the formation of the Nissitissit River Land Trust, Inc.

The Trust was incorporated in December, 1968 and has as its object: "to engage in and otherwise promote for the benefit of the people of the surrounding area, the preservation of the Nissitissit River and its surrounding lands as a natural area or type of "wild river", to preserve the quality of the environment and the natural resources of the land, marshland, woodland and open spaces, and the plant and animal life therein, and the unique scenic and historic sites, and the maintenance of the waters of the Nissitissit River unpolluted and clear-running".

To concept of the trust was developed to overcome some of the difficulties of working with the conservation groups of three different towns and two different states through which the Nissitissit flows.

Land acquisition for the Trust has been given a good start with the donation of a 10 acre tract in Brookline by Jeff Smith of Hollis.

Membership in the organization is being actively sought, with details still to be worked out during the winter months.

Hopefully, with the work of organizing the Nissitissit River Land Trust now out of the way, other worthwhile conservation projects will be studied in the coming months.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. MORAN, CHAIRMAN
WILLARD CUMMINGS
GEORGE W. FARWELL
ALFRED L. HALL
KENNETH RUSSEL

Annual Report of the Fire Department

Appropriations and Expenses

Town Appropriation	$3,160.00	
Reimbursement from State of N. H.	63.00	
Reimbursement from Fred Whitten	37.15	
Erwin Corey for use of fire truck's	265.00	
Erwin Corey error in addition	10.00	
Clarance Farwell rent of the old fire house	50.00	
Charles Rutter pumping cellar	8.00	
Hobart G. Powers pumping cellar	49.00	
New England cut Evergreens	68.00	
West Hollis cut Evergreens	8.00	
Total		$3,658.75

General Budget Expenses

Corey's Gulf Service	Gas & Repairs	87.57
E. C. Fessenden, Inc.	Gas, Oil & Repairs	191.87
Potanipo Garage, Inc.	Gas & Repairs	117.92
Grover C. Farwell, Jr. & Sr.	Pipe & Supplies	76.65
Hammar Hardware Co., Inc.	Piping Supplies	71.92
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Farrar Co.	Boot & Coat Rails	480.00
Allan Fessenden	Fireman's Salaries	400.00
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North Middlesex Mutual Aid Assoc.	Dues	20.00
Soughegan Mutual Aid Assoc.	Dues	5.00
Fireman's Retirement Board		138.00
N. H. State Fireman's Assoc.		23.00
New England Telephone	the 673-4141 line	318.70
Public Service	Lights	237.22
Erwin Corey	Forest Fires	716.48
	TOTAL	$3,575.68
	Unexpended Balance	$ 83.07

Water Holes Fund		
Town Appropriation		$ 200.00
Water Holes Expenses		
C. L. Farwell - Fill Bond St. 1/2 pond Dam	222.69	
Tasker's Turkey Farm - Bags	5.70	
		$ 228.39
OVERDRAFT		28.39
New Fire Equipment Fund		
Town Appropriation	660.00	
Firemen's Donation	300.00	
		960.00
New Fire Equipment Expenses		
Upper Valley Fire Equipment Co.		1,031.72
OVERDRAFT		71.72
Group Alerting & Dispatch System		
Town Appropriation		766.20
Nothing Expended		
Capital Reserve Fund		
Town Appropriation		
Paid to the Town Trustees		1,000.00
Bond Issue - Union National Bank		
Town Appropriation		3,500.00
Bond Issue - Payments		
Interest	943.80	
Principal	2,500.00	
		3,443.80
Unexpended Balance		56.20
Radio Fund		
Appropriation Left Last Year for both Police & Fire Depts.		
Radio Fund - Expenses		
Radio Entrance Cable	20.00	
Benner Electronic Service	107.53	
Radiofone of New England, Inc.	24.21	
		151.74

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO STUDY LIBRARY

USE OF THE OLD FIRE STATION

At the 1968 annual Town Meeting Mr. C. Thistleton moved, Mr. R. Kecy seconded, and the town approved a motion that the "Moderator appoint a committee to study the cost of using the fire station on Main Street as a library and report back to the next Town Meeting". The committee appointed consisted of the selectmen, library trustees, and Geraldine Phillips.

The committee met during November to analyze the proposal that the library use the old fire station and determined that building maintenance, heat installation, fuel, electricity, etc. would use a large amount of funds which could be better utilized on books and other directly beneficial items.

The committee recommends that the library not occupy or otherwise utilize the old fire station, however, as the Committee did not go into extensive investigation of the Fire Station, it is felt that the Town may wish to conduct further investigation.

Geraldine Phillips
Beatrice Denehy
Judith Potter
Charlotte A. Farwell

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE TOWN MEETING

MARCH 1968

The Business Meeting was opened at 7:30 PM by the Moderator, Orville Fessenden.

Under Article 1. we elected Town Officials and committees. The Bicentennial Committee was appointed by the Moderator. Members are: Donald Barnaby, Mary Dulac, Clarence Farwell, Allan Fessenden, Eldorus Fessenden, Peter Ouellette and Philip Shattuck. In the Presidential Primary Brookline gave Richard Nixon 151 votes, Nelson Rockefeller 29 votes, Lyndon Johnson 43 votes and Eugene McCarthy 36 votes.

Article 3. We elected a new Industrial Planning Committee: Neil Johnson, Thomas Moran, Rudolph Peterson, Hal Taylor and Cecil Thistleton. Under Article 19. we authorized the Committee to study the requirements necessary for federal funds, to be used to plan a water system for Town

Article 6. We voted to authorize the use of the two vacant rooms in Daniels Academy for the Brookline Public Library, until the study Committee reports on the cost of using the Main Street Fire Station as a Library.

Articles 9 & 10. We voted that payment on principal of Serial Notes and interest in the Fire Department Budget.

Article 29. We adopted a 9 PM curfew for all minors under the age of 16.

When all ballots were counted and results announced the meeting was adjourned at 4:35 AM.

Respectfully Submitted

Helen D. Bridges
Town Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

OFFICERS

of the

SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Officers

1968 - 1969

SCHOOL BOARD	Terms Expires
Mrs. Beatrice Hall Chairman	1969
Eddy Whitcomb	1970
Mrs. Jarjorie Soper	1971
Mrs. Louise Corey, Treasurer	1969
Thomas Arnold, Moderator	1969
Mrs. Paula Struckman, Clerk	1969
Phil Chandler, Auditor	1969
Herbert Benton, Auditor	1969
Ira A. Stickney, Milford, N.H.	Superintendent
Mrs. Marion J. Jacques, Milford, N.H.	Teacher Consultant
Jan J. Tigchelaer, M.D.	School Physician
Mrs. Margaret McInnis	School Nurse
Mrs. Margaret McInnis	Attendance Officer
Mrs. Dorothy Haight	Census Enumerator

SCHOOL CALENDAR
1968-69

BEGIN	CLOSE	
September 4 (Wed.) (Oct. 18, Nov. 28 & 29 - No School)	December 20 (Fri.)	74 days
January 2 (Thurs.)	February 21 (Fri.)	37 days
March 3 (Mon.) (April 4 - No School)	April 25 (Fri.)	39 days
May 5 (Mon.) (May 30 - No School)	June 19 (Thurs.)	33 days
		183 days

1969-70

September 3 (Wed.) (Oct 10, Nov. 11, Nov. 27 & 28 - No School)	December 23 (Tues.)	76 days
January 5 (Mon.)	February 20 (Fri.)	35 days
March 2 (Mon.) (March 27- No School)	April 24 (Fri.)	39 days
May 4 (Mon.)	June 17 (Wed.)	33 Days
		183 days

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Brookline qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district of the sixth day of March 1969, at eight o'clock in the Afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Traunt Officer and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

2. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen and pass any vote relating hereto.

3. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

4. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to to make application for and accept on behalf of the idstrict any or all grants or funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire or from any other source.

5. To see what action the District will take in regard to adoption of the teachers' proposed salary schedule.

6. To see if the School district will accept the provisions of RSA 195-A (as amended) providing for the establishment of an area school located in Hollis to serve the following grades 7-12 from the school district of Brookline, etc. in accordance with the provisions of the plan on file with the district clerk?

7. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to enter into a contract for tuition purposes; said contract not to exceed a period of three years.

8. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the district.

9. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Brookline this 19th day of February 1969

BEATRICE B. HALL
EDDY W. WHITCOMB
MARYANE A. SOPER

School Board

A true copy of Warrant——Attest:

BEATRICE B. HALL
EDDY W. WHITCOMB
MARYANE A. SOPER

School Board

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Brookline qualifed to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the Eleventh (11th) day of March 1969, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choos a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands at said Brookline this 17th day of February 1969

BEATRIC B. HALL
EDDY W. WHITCOMB
MARJORIE A. SOPER

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

BEATRICE B. HALL
EDDY W. WHITCOMB
MARJORIE A. SOPER

School Board

BROOKLINE BUDGET

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposed 1969-70
[illegible]				
11 Salaries of Elected Officers				
School Board	[illegible]	$ 150.00	$ [illegible]	$ 520.00
Treasurer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	50.00
Clerk	[illegible]	5.00	[illegible]	10.00
Auditors	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Ballot Clerks		15.00		15.00
Total 11	$ [illegible]	$ 205.00	$ [illegible]	$ 410.00
135 Contracted Services				
Census	$ 20.00	$ 20.00	$ 30.00	$ 30.00
Town Report	150.00		250.00	250.00
Total 135	$ [illegible]	$ 20.00	$ 280.00	$ 280.00
190 Other Expenses of Administration				
Ballot, ads, treasurer's expense	$ 100.00	$ 108.37	$ 100.00	$ 100.00
School Board Dues	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00
School Board Expenses	100.00	79.44	100.00	100.00
Total 190	$ [illegible]	$ 262.81	$ 275.00	$ 275.00
100 SERIES TOTAL	$ 635.00	$ 487.81	$ 775.00	$ 965.00
200 SERIES INSTRUCTION				
210 Salaries	$ 35,680.00	$	$53,900.00	$ 71,356.00
New Teachers	13,950.00		10,600.00	
Total 210	$ 49,630.00	$50,191.00	$64,500.00	$ 71,356.00
215 Textbooks	$ 1,600.00	$ 2,141.22	$ 1,700.00	$ 2,136.00
220 Library and A. V.	$ 400.00	$ 384.30	$ 500.00	$ 490.00
230 Teaching Supplies	$ 1,600.00	$ 2,598.45	$ 1,800.00	$ 1,500.00

BROOKLINE BUDGET
1969-70

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposed 1969-70
235 Contracted Service				
Speech Therapy	600.00	412.00		
T.V.	100.00	95.50	105.50	135.00
Test Service	276.00		408.00	460.00
Total 235	976.00	507.50	513.00	595.00
290 Other Expenses for Instruction				
Office Expenses		41.13	50.00	75.00
Report Cards	50.00	30.70	50.00	25.00
Dues		5.00	50.00	
Conferences	50.00	46.66	50.00	50.00
Summer School	100.00	50.00	100.00	100.00
Testing		159.95		
Rental Project Kits				60.00
Total 290	200.00	333.44	300.00	310.00
200 SERIES TOTAL	54,406.00	56,155.91	69,313.00	76,387.00
300 SERIES ATTENDANCE	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
400 SERIES HEALTH				
Nurse	400.00	400.00	450.00	500.00
Doctor	100.00	140.00	125.00	150.00
Nurse Travel	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
Supplies	30.00	37.40	50.00	50.00
400 SERIES TOTAL	580.00	627.40	675.00	750.00
500 SERIES TRANSPORTATION	18,000.00	18,065.00	19,000.00	25,750.00

BROOKLINE BUDGET
1969-70

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposes 1969-70
600 SERIES OPERATION OF PLANT				
610 Salaries	2,000.00	2,788.35	3,100.00	3,500.00
630 Supplies	600.00	453.14	800.00	554.00
635 Contracted Services	650.00	487.00	550.00	580.00
640 Heat	1,536.00	918.10	1,600.00	1,300.00
645 Utilities	1,350.00	1,360.98	1,500.00	1,500.00
600 SERIES TOTAL	6,136.00	6,007.57	7,550.00	7,434.00

BROOKLINE BUDGET
1969-70

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposed 1969-70
700 SERIES MAINTENANCE OF PLANT				
725 Replacement of Equipment	170.00	166.03	75.00	75.00
726 Repairs to Equipment	225.00	155.52	225.00	
735 Contracted Services				50.00
766 Repairs to Building		74.72	570.00	100.00
700 SERIES MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	395.00	396.27	870.00	225.00
800 SERIES FIXED CHARGES				
850 Retirement and Social Security	3,400.00	2,231.31	5,200.00	7,167.00
855 Insurance	568.00	787.65	955.00	777.00
800 SERIES TOTAL	3,968.00	3,018.96	6,155.00	7,944.00
900 SERIES FEDERAL LUNCH	600.00	824.82	600.00	800.00
1000 SERIES STUDENT ACTIVITIES			535.00	355.00
1200 SERIES CAPITAL OUTLAY				
1265 Sites		1,005.00	1,000.00	
1266 Buildings	86,500.00	87,291.45		
1267 Equipment	1,100.00	754.50	705.00	340.00
1200 SERIES TOTAL	87,600.00	89,050.95	1,705.00	340.00
1300 SERIES DEBT SERVICE				
1370 Principal	12,700.00	12,700.00	12,700.00	12,700.00
1371 Interest	3,554.00	2,705.02	2,793.00	2,373.00
1300 SERIES TOTAL	16,254.00	15,405.02	15,493.00	15,073.00

BROOKLINE BUDGET
1969-70

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposed 1969-70
1400 SERIES OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS				
1477.1 Tuition	78,421.00	65,123.33	91,600.00	117,092.00
1477.3 Union Share	2,848.00	2,848.00	3,690.00	4,733.00
1477.5 Capital Reserve	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
1400 SERIES TOTAL	83,769.00	70,471.33	97,790.00	124,325.00
1500 SERIES Title 1 Pl. 89:10	2,100.00	2,748.00	2,100.00	
TOTAL BUDGET	274,593.00	263,409.04	222,711.00	260,498.00

BROOKLINE BUDGET
1969-1970

Category	Adopted 1967-68	Actual 1967-68	Adopted 1968-69	Proposed 1969-70
Unencumbered Balance	3,500.00	5,681.18	12,000.00	7,500.00
State Foundation Aid	25,400.00	29,216.57	39,800.00	39,700.00
State Building Aid	4,740.00	4,644.16	4,600.00	4,700.00
State Sweepstakes	4,000.00	2,320.35	2,000.00	1,500.00
State Special Class	700.00	375.21	700.00	400.00
Federal Milk	600.00	908.02	600.00	800.00
Trust Fund	470.00	596.26		600.00
PL 874	2,700.00		2,700.00	2,500.00
NDEA	400.00		400.00	250.00
PL 89:10 Title 1	2,100.00	2,748.00	2,100.00	
Bank and Note Issue	69,000.00	69,713.35		
Capital Reserve	17,500.00	17,592.56		
Other		12.13		
Capital Reserve	131,110.00	133,807.79	64,900.00	57,950.00
Assessment	143,483.00	140,257.14*	157,811.00	202,548.00
		10,655.89*		

*Actual Assessment and Unencumbered Balance

Financial Report

July 1, 1967 - June 30, 1968

RECEIPTS

FROM FEDERAL		
Special Milk		$ 908.02
FROM STATE		
Foundation Aid	$ 29,216.57	
School Building Aid	4,644.16	
Intellectually Retarded	375.21	
Other	2,320.35	
		36,556.29
FROM LOCAL		
Income from Trust Funds	596.26	
Gifts and Bequests	12.13	
		608.39
BONDS AND NOTES		
Principal of Notes	69,000.00	
Premiums and Interest	713.35	
		69,713.35
RECEIPTS FROM CAPITAL RESERVE FUND		17,592.56
FROM SELECTMEN BY TAXATION		140,257.14
TOTAL		265,635.75
CASH ON HAND July 1, 1967 General Fund		5,681.18
GRAND TOTAL		$ 271,316.93

PAYMENTS

Series 100 Administration		
110 Salaries of District Officers	$ 190.00	
135 Contracted Services	35.00	
190 Other Expenses of Administration	262.81	
		$ 487.81
Series 200 Instruction		
210 Salaries for Instruction	50,191.00	
215 Textbooks	2,141.22	
220 School Libraries and Audio Visual	384.30	
230 Teaching Supplies	2,598.45	
235 Contracted Services	507.50	
290 Other Expenses	333.44	
		56,155.91

Series 300 Attendance Services		$ 150.00
Series 400 Health Services		
410 Salaries	$ 590.00	
490 Other Expenses	37.40	
		627.40
Series 500 Transportation		
535 Contracted Services		18,065.00
Series 600 Operation of Plant		
610 Salaries	2,788.35	
630 Supplies, except Utilities	453.14	
635 Contracted Services	487.00	
640 Heat for Buildings	918.10	
645 Utilities, except Heat	1,360.98	
		6,007.57
Series 700 Maintenance of Plant		
725 Replacement of Equipment	166.03	
726 Repairs to Equipment	150.62	
766 Repairs to Building	74.72	
790 Other	4.90	
		396.27
Series 800 Fixed Charges		
850.2 Teachers'Retirement System	963.22	
850.3 F. I. C. A.	1,268.09	
855 Insurance	787.65	
		3,018.96
Series 900 Federal Lunch Program		824.82
Series 1200 Capital Outlay		
1265 Sites	1,005.00	
1266 Buildings	84,497.39	
1267 Equipment	3,548.56	
		89,050.95
Series 1300 Debt Service		
1370 Principal of Debt	12,700.00	
1371 Interest on Debt	2,705.02	
		15,405.02
Series 1400 Outgoing Transfer Accounts		
1477.1 Tuition	65,123.33	
1477.3 District Share of Supervisory Union Expenses	2,848.00	
1477.5 Payments into Capital Reserve Fund	2,500.00	
		70,471.33
		$ 260,661.04

Balance Sheet

June 30, 1968

Assets

Cash on hand, General Fund, June 30, 1968	$ 10,641.43
Building Fund, June 30, 1968	14.46
Total Assets	10,655.89
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets)	74,658.57
Grand Total	85,314.46

Liabilities

Cash on hand, Building Fund, June 30, 1968	14.46
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	85,300.00
Grand Total	85,314.46

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Comission.

Beatrice B. Hall
Eddy Whitcomb
Marjorie A. Soper

School Board

John A. Murphy, Jr.

Superintendent

July 26, 1968

BROOKLINE - 100 SERIES
1967-68

110 Series			
William Snell	$ 50.00		
Beatrice Hall	50.00		
Eddy Whitcomb	50.00		
Marjorie Soper	5.00		
Philip Chandler	5.00		
Charles Rutter	5.00		
Louise Corey	25.00		
		$ 190.00	
135 Series			
Miriam Jepson	5.00		
Grover Farwell, Jr.	5.00		
Dorothy Russell	5.00		
Dorothy Haight	20.00		
		35.00	
190 Series			
Shaw Walker	20.02		
Union Leader	5.54		
Boston Globe	44.80		
Hall Manufacturing	5.32		
Bowman Business Forms	6.00		
N. H. School Board Association	75.00		
Cabinet Press	2.00		
Rodney Woodman	7.78		
Townell Printing Co.	22.50		
Miriam Jepson	5.00		
Grover Farwell, Jr.	5.00		
Young's Sales and Service	4.00		
Louise Corey	39.30		
Edson Eastman Co.	20.55		
		262.81	
TOTAL 100 Series			$ 487.81

BROOKLINE - 200 SERIES
1967-68

215 Series			
Scott Foresman	$ 460.26		
Benefic Press	36.25		
Continental Press	26.54		
Harper Row	116.29		
Harcourt, Brace & World	465.35		
S. R. A.	208.65		
Ginn & Co.	4.80		
Charles Merrill	53.21		
American Book	330.37		
Allyn & Bacon	439.50		
			$2,141.22

BROOKLINE - 200 SERIES
1967-68

220 Series		
Grolter Fducational	$ 54.16	
Nature Program	6.10	
Scott Foresman	43.49	
Martin Murray Corp.	142.15	
World Book Encyclopedia	5.95	
Children's Press	4.13	
Harr Wagner	18.40	
U. of Chicago Press	6.00	
Children's Museum	54.22	
Boston University	4.20	
Popular Science	2.50	
Educators Progress Service	7.00	
W. E. N. H.	36.00	
		$ 384.30

230 Series		
Jan Clark	$ 2.03	
American Book	479.20	
Scott Foresman	111 89	
Lyons & Carnahan	10.40	
Milliken Publishing Co.	12.05	
A. B. Dick Co.	93.26	
Milton Bradley	1,010.91	
J. L. Hammett	136.99	
Harcourt, Brace & World	44.10	
S. R. A.	22.65	
Millward Teaching Aids	18.90	
3 M	58.65	
Harper & Row, Publishers	7.38	
American Educational Publications	132.00	
Audio Visual	158.00	
Pathescope Educational Films	34.55	
Educator's Progress Service	7.00	
Scholastic Magazines	101.50	
Continental Press	91.25	
Philip Morris & Co.	52.99	
The Instructor	1.75	
Clark's Studio	11.00	
		2,598.45

235 Series		
WENH	95.50	
Charlotte Saxe	412.00	
		507.50

290 Series		
Mary Ann Smith	$ 50.00	
Frank Yeaw, Treasurer	5.00	
Houghton, Mifflin	98.60	
Cabinet Press	30.70	
Neil Macierowski	30.00	
Michael McBride	11.66	
Prentice Hall	6.91	
Edward J. Lawton	5.00	
Scott Foresman	28.44	
James Prior	34.00	
Eliza Wright	7.13	
U. N. H.	26.00	
		$ 333.44

BROOKLINE - 300 SERIES
1967-68

300 Series		
Margaret McInnis		$ 150.00

BROOKLINE - 400 SERIES
1967-68

410 Series		
Margaret McInnis	$ 450.00	
James E. Jones, M. D.	140.00	
		$ 590.00
490 Series		
Coll's Medical Supplies	22.60	
Margaret McInnis	14.80	
		37.40
TOTAL 400 SERIES		$ 627.40

BROOKLINE - 500 SERIES
1967-68

535 Series		
Grover Farwell, Jr.	$ 5,715.00	
Potanipo Garage	12,350.00	
TOTAL 500 SERIES		$ 18,065.00

BROOKLINE - 600 SERIES
1967-68

610 Series		
Eliza Wright		$ 2,788.35
630 Series		
Albert Bourke	$ 58.35	
Eliza Wright	9.04	
Central Paper	119.35	
Acme Chemical	194.55	
J. I. Holcomb, Mfg.	71.85	
		453.14
635 Series		
Thibeault's Janitorial Service	$218.00	
Eliza Wright	75.00	
William Lary	36.00	
Wayne Murray	36.00	
Grover Farwell, Jr.	122.00	
		487.00
640 Series		
Draper Fuel		918.10
645 Series		
New England Telephone & Telegraph	$434.39	
Public Service	926.59	
		1,360.98
TOTAL 600 SERIES		$6,007.57

BROOKLINE - 700 SERIES
1967-68

725 Series		
County Stores	$ 1.20	
Jarmak	147.00	
Paul Porter	17.83	
		166.03
726 Series		
Master Security Locks	$ 77.00	
Draper Fuel	47.40	
Paul Porter	11.00	
A. H. Rice	2.72	
Taft Business Machine	12.50	
		150.62

BROOKLINE - 700 SERIES
1967-68

766 Series		
Grover Farwell	$ 6.65	
Master Security Locks	43.50	
W. E. Aubuchon	3.97	
N. H. Dept. of Public Works	20.60	
		$ 74.72
790 Series		
Fletcher's Paint Works		4.90
TOTAL 700 SERIES		$ 396.27

BROOKLINE - 800 SERIES
1967-68

850.2 Series		
Teacher's Retirement	$ 963.22	
850.3 Series		
F. I. C. A.	1,268.09	
855 Series		
Harland Holt	787.65	
TOTAL 800 SERIES		$ 3,018.96

BROOKLINE - 900 SERIES
1967-68

975.1 Series		
Producer's Dairy		$ 824.82

BROOKLINE - 1200 SERIES
1967-68

1265 Series		
TRA Paving	$ 680.00	
F. H. Bailey & Sons	325.00	
		$ 1,005.00
1267 Series		
Jarmak		754.50
TOTAL 1200 SERIES		$ 1,759.50

BROOKLINE - 1300 SERIES
1967-68

1370 Series		
Souhegan National Bank	$5,800.00	
Indian Head Bank	6,900.00	
		$12,700.00

1371 Series		
Souhegan National Bank	$ 793.14	
Indian Head Bank	1,911.88	
		$ 2,705.02
TOTAL 1300 SERIES		15,405.02

BROOKLINE - 1400 SERIES
1967-68

1477.1 Series		
City of Nashua	$ 61,620.33	
Maurice Marvell	950.00	
Milford School District	2,553.00	
		$ 65,123.33
1477.3 Series		
Supervisory Union # 40		2,848.00
1477.5 Series		
Trustees of Trust Fund		2,500.00
TOTAL 1400 SERIES		$ 70,471.33

Notification of Assessment

1968-69 School Year

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$222,711.00

Revenues and Credits

Unencumbered Balance	$ 10,641.43
Sweepstakes	1,633.00
Foundation Aid	39,759.00
School Building Aid	4,718.00
Intellectually Retarded	700.00
NDEA-Title III, Science, Math & Lang.	400.00
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	600.00
PL 89-10 (ESEA)	2,100.00
Total Revenue and Credits	$ 60,551.43
Amount to be Raised by 1968 Property Taxes	162,159.57
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$222,711.00

State Tax Commission

Lawton B. Chandler
Commissioner

Insurance Coverage

Bodily Injury Liability	$ 100,000/300,000
Employees Liability	100,000
Elementary School	130,000
Contents-Elementary School	24,000
Automobile (non-owned)	100,000
Treasurer's Bond	1,000
Workmen's Compensation	

Report of the Treasurer

of the School District

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1968

Cash on hand July 1, 1967	$ 5,681.18
Received from Selectmen	140,257.14
Revenue from State Sources	33,556.29
Revenue from Federal Sources	908.02
Received as Income from Trust Funds	596.26
Received from all Other Sources	12.13
Total Receipts	$ 178,329.84
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	$ 184,011.02
Less School Board Orders Paid	173,369.59
Balance on hand June 30, 1968	$ 10,641.43

Building Fund

Cash on hand July 1, 1967	0.00
Received from Sale of Notes and Bonds (Principal only)	69,000.00
Received from Capital Reserve Funds	17,592.56
Received from all other sources	713.35
Total Receipts	$ 87,305.91
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	87,305.91
Less School Board Orders Paid	87,290.94
Balance on Hand June 30, 1968	$ 14.97

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Brookline of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 and find them correct in all respects.

PHILIP CHANDLER
HERBERT BENTON

November 6, 1968

Auditors

General Statistics for School Year

1967-68

Number of pupils registered during year:

Boys - 101	Girls - 107	208

Enrollment by Grades:

I - 44	II - 36	III - 28	
IV - 46	V - 25	VI - 29	208

Average Membership in Grades 1 - 6	201.9
Percent of Attendance in Grades 1 - 6	94.1
Number of sessions in all schools	360

Teaching Positions:

Elementary	8
Part-time	3

Brookline Tuition Pupils Attending

Nashua Schools

1968-69

Grade 7 - - 29	Grade 10 - - 24
Grade 8 - - 31	Grade 11 - - 15
Grade 9 - - 22	Grade 12 - - 14

TEACHER ROSTER 1968-69

McBride, Michael, 2 year's experience, Principal Grade 5-6, Manhattan College, B.B.A.

Archibald, Barbara, 1 year's experience, Grade 1, Fitchburg College

Atherton, Judith, 7 year's experience, Grade 3, Wattle Park Teachers College

Connolly, Lynda, 1 year's experience, Grade 1, Danbury State

Estrella, Francisoa, 8 year's experience, Grade 5, Arellano University (Philippines), B.S.

Hall, Betty, 12 year'x experience, Reading Consultant, Bridgewater State, M. Ed.

Lang, Lois, 3 year's experience, Language Arts, Penn State University, B.S.

Macierowski, Neil, 3 year's experience, Grade 5-6, Westfield State, B.S.

Madigan, Dorothe, 25 year's experience, Grade 2, Gorham Teachers, B.S.

Richardson, Mary, Grade 2, New Paltz State

Saxe, Charlotte, 8 year's experience, Speech Therapist, Rivier College, M.A.

Smith, Mary Ann, 10 year's experience, Grade 4, Keene State

Stearns, Derrie, Grade 3, Berkshire Christian, A.B.

Tong, Harry, 8 year's experience, Music, Salem State, B.S.

Dulac, Mary, Secretary

Report of Health Supervision

1967-68

James J. Jones, M. D. Examiner
(Mrs) Margaret H. McInnis, R. N.

Pupils Examined	81
Tuberculosis Tests	36
Vision Tests	210
Inspections	194
Heights	196
Weights	196
First Aid	24
No. Excused from vaccination	1
No. immunized (measles vaccine)	38
Pediculosis	1
Impetigo	9

The following defects, treatments, and corrections were reported:

	Defect	Pupils Receiving Treatment
Vision	12	12
Scalp	1	1
Anemia	1	1
Dental	32	

Capital Reserve Fund

Balance on hand, December 31, 1967	$17,592.56	
Receipts	2,500.00	
		$20,092.56
Expenditure - Brookline School District		17,592.56
		2,500.00
Interest to December 30, 1968		52.08
Total Capital Reserve as of December 30, 1968		2,552.08

School Census

Age as of September 1, 1968	Total	Boys	Girls	No. Attending Public School Within District	No. Attending Public School Outside District	No. Attending Parochial School Outside District	No. Attending Private School Outside District	Excused by School Board	Reached 14 or 16, Completed Elementary no High School	Completed High School
Less than 1	14	10	4							
1	27	12	15							
2	19	8	11							
3	19	7	12							
4	23	15	8							
5	18	10	8	12						
6	31	13	18	30			1			
7	35	17	18	35						
8	39	22	17	38			1			
9	29	15	14	29						
10	40	22	18	40						
11	26	13	13	24	2					
12	26	11	15	6	20					
13	33	23	10		31	1	1			
14	24	14	10		24					
15	21	11	10		21					
16	24	13	11		20	2		2		
17	23	14	9		16	2	1	2	2	
18	22	11	11		4			3	2	13
TOTALS	493	261	232	214	138	5	4	7	4	13

ADMINISTRATIVE SCHOOL REPORT

To the Citizens of Brookline:

The responsibility of the school, in our democratic society, is to provide an educational program within which framework all students may become all they are capable of becoming. We are continually driving towards fulfilling this goal, as we move forward, only to pause a mement to review the past.

Our year began under the fine leadership of John A. Murphy, Jr., Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Murphy resigned from this position during the summer of 1968 when he accepted a position for advancement. The impact of Mr. Murphy and his untiring efforts will long be felt in Supervisory Union #40. Great strides in education were made during his reign as superintendent here.

After Mr. Murphy's resignation, Mr. Donald Desmarais, Hollis High School Principal, was appointed to fulfill the role of Superintendent until an interim superintendent could be located. Mr. Desmarais is to be congratulated for his outstanding efforts as acting superintendent for Supervisory Union #40.

In August, we were indeed fortunate to locate Mr. Lewis F. Foote, Retired Superintendent, to guide and direct us as Acting Superintendent for the period of August 1 to December 20. An Admirable job was done by Mr. Foote. In December, Supervisory Union #40 found their new Superintendent to again lead the districts toward fulfilling its educational philosophy.

Another of our fine leaders found his opportunity to further his education. Mr. Edward J. Lawton, Teacher Consultant for the past two years, resigned in August to pursue a Doctoral Program at the University of Virginia. Mr. Lawton worked closely with the elementary staff and should be congratulated for the improvements that he has made in the elementary program of our Union. In August, A Teacher Consultant was appointed replacing Mr. Lawton to contine his role.

Along with returning teachers at the Brookline Elementary School, the the following have been added to our staff for the current year:

Mrs. Mary Richardson	Grade two
Mrs. Devrie Swarns	Grade three
Mrs. Francisca Gonzaga	Grade five
Mrs. Lois Langq	Grade five and six (Part-time)

Mrs. Margaret Robbins later replaced Mrs. Gonzaga who resigned her teaching position.

The addition of Mrs. Mary Dulac, school secretary, to our staff has been greatly appreciated by both myself and the teachers. Mrs. Dulac has done much to ease the burden to non-teaching paperwork which, previously, the teachers had to carry. Thus, she has been able to free them to devote more time to their primary responsibility - teaching children.

Withethe resignation in June, 1968 of Mrs. Lillian Barton, Mrs. Betty Hall has been added as Reading Consultant for the Schools of Supervisory Union #40. Mr. Harry Tong, our Music teacher, continues to instruct the school children in Music one half day per week, and Mrs. Charlotte Saxe, Speech Specialist, works with those students who exhibit certain difficulties in speaking. Mr. Richard Gardner continues as Guidance Counselor for Supervisory Union #40 Elementary students, while Mrs. Margaret McInnis remains our School Nurse.

No report on our staff would be complete without mentioning the continued concern and dedication of Mrs. Eliza Wright, school custodian.

The enrollment figure of 214 students represents an increase of eleven pupils from January of 1968.

Our sprots program continues this year, and the hope is that it can be extended to include more children than were able to take part last year.

The release of the principal this year from teaching for part of the school day has enabled him to be of more [illegible] service to his staff. This makes for happier relations among staff members which, in turn, has its effect on classroom performance.

To the citizens of Brookline, we express our sincere appreciation for your continued support.

Ira A. Stickney
Superintendent of Schools

Michael McBride
Principal

Marion J. Jacques
Teacher Consultant

SYNOPSIS of ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING
March 8, 1968

The Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Thomas I. Arnold at 8 P.M.. The Warrant was read and the Meeting opened for business under Article I.

Article I.

The motion was made by H. William Snell to pass over this Article at act with it on Article 5, which is the Budget Article. The motion was seconded by Sidney Hall.

Put to a voice vote and the Ayes carried without dissent.

Article 2.

The Motion was made by H. William Snell to accept all reports in the 1967 Town Report and the Report on the School District Officers Salaries.

The Report on the School District Officers Salaries was given by Dorothy Haight. The report is as follows:

After the School District Meeting on April 21, 1967, a Salaries and to report at the next District Meeting.

An investigation was made by this committee, and their recommention is that the salaries of the School Board Members be increased from $50 per year per member, to $100 per year per member, and $125 for the Chairman of the School Board.

Cecil Thistleton
Carl Anderson
Dorothy Haight

The Motion was seconded by Herbert Benton.

Motion put to a voice vote and ayes carried without dissent. Closed under Article 2 and opened under Article 3.

Article 3.

The motion was made by Clarence Farwell to have the Town Auditors act as School Auditors. Seconded by Dorothy Haight.

Put to a voice vote and the Ayes carried without dissent.

Closed under Article 3 and opened under Article 4.

Article 4.

The motion was made by Beatrice Hall that the District vote to authrize the School Board to make application for and accept on behalf of the District any or all grants or funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire or from any other source. It was seconded by Lee Jeffreis

Motion put to a voice vote and the Ayes carries without dissent. Closed under Article 4 and opened under Article 5.

Article 5.

The motion was made by Beatrice Hall that the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $222,711 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of the school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district. It was seconded by Alan Fessenden.

An ammendment to the motion was made by Rudolf Peterson to change the figure to read $414.711. It was seconded by Philip Chandler. A discussion followed. The ammendment as put to a vote by show of hands. and the vote was as follows:

YES - 26
NO - 34

The ammendment was defeated. The motion was put to a voice vote and the Ayes carried without dissent. Closed under Article 5 and opened under Article 6.

Article 6.

The motion was made by Paula Struckman that the district vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint an AREA Planning Committee. It was seconded by Carl Anderson.

An ammendment was made by Nancy Heline to include, that the committee investigate any and all plans, other than sending pupils to Nashua It was seconded by H. William Snell.

Ammendment put to a vote and the Nayes carried and Ayes carried without dissent. Closed under Article 6 and opened under Article 7.

Article 7.

The motion was made by Alan Fessenden to recess the meeting until Tuesday, March 12, 1968 at 8 P.M. to count ballots. It was seconded by Herbert Benton, Ayes carried without dissent and the meeting was recessed at 9:30 P.M..

Respectfully submitted,

Marjorie A. Soper, Clerk

Salaries 1967-68

A. Superintendent

State Share		$4,500.00
Local Share		
Amherst	$1,948.92	
Brookline	594.22	
Hollis	1,713.80	
Milford	4,877.78	
Mont Vernon	365.28	
		9,500.00
		$14,000.00

B. Teacher Consultant

State Share		$2,700.00
Local Share:		
Amherst	$1,702.74	
Brookline	519.17	
Hollis	1,497.32	
Milford	4,261.63	
Mont Vernon	319.14	
		8,300.00
		$11,000.00

C. Business Manager

State Share		$2,700.00
Local Share:		
Amherst	$1,298.87	
Brookline	397.22	
Hollis	1,123.79	
Milford	3,236.50	
Mont Vernon	243.62	
		6,300.00
		$ 9,000.00

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Supervisory Union #40

Receipts as Allocated:

Amherst	$ 4,772.00	
Brookline	2,748.00	
Hollis	2,459.00	
Milford	12,725.00	
Mont Vernon	289.00	
		$22,993.00

Expenditures:

Phase 1 - Curriculum Development	$ 8,859.37	
Phase 11 - Elementary Guidance	14,133.63	
		$22,993.00

AREA SCHOOL STUDY COMMITTEE REPORT

At the 1968 Brookline School meeting formation of an AREA School Study Committee was authorized to consider AREA School possibilities for Jr. and Sr. High students. The committee has asked a number of surrounding towns if they would consider an AREA school arrangement with Brookline. Of the region's town and cities, Hollis was the only one in a position to develop an AREA agreement for submission to the voters at the 1969 meeting. Since Hollis is also a good geographical choice and the Nashua School Board indicated to Brookline that the future of students in Nashua was uncertain, your AREA Committee decided to form a joint Hollis-Brookline Committee to prepare an AREA School agreement for the voters' considerations.

An AREA School plan is a tuition contract between participating school districts. The essential elements are:

1. The sending district (Brookline) pays the receiving district (Hollis) tuition calculated on actual operating costs plus a facilities (rengal) charge.

2. The receiving district agrees to provide facilities.

3. A contract is signed for a term of 20 years.

4. The State provides increased financial aid to the receiving district-10% more building aid and variable payments per student crossing town boundaries ($50 to $60).

The agreement submitted for your approval has been printed in its entirety and distributed to al voters. The following summary points out the important features of the proposed contract.

Summary of Authorized Regional Enrollment and (AREA) School Contract

A The Hollis AREA School is the name.

B. Tuition is calculated from actual operating expenses plus rental charge. Transportation is not included in determining tuition rate. All State and Federal aid reduce operating costs except Foundation aid and sweepstakes. Cost per pupil is determined from average daily attendance. Rental per student is calculated from the formula;

2% of the paid-up value of the building plus principal and interest payments less State aid, divided by the building capacity.

C. All State AREA incentive aid reduces operating cost for tuition computation.

D. The first year, Brookline grades 7, 8 and 9 would attend, the high school students continuing to go to Nashua, Each year the incoming 7th grade would be added until all six grades are attending. Total enrollment of the AREA school would be about 550.

E. The AREA plan would begin July 1, 1969 and operate for a minimum of 20 years (required by State).

F. All Brookline students must attend Hollis unless the parents pay the tuition elsewhere or special schooling, not available at Hollis, is required.

G. Hollis agrees to provide facilities.

H. There are two billing dates per year, January 1 and June 1.

I. Two joint school board meetings per year are provided ro the purpose of information, advice and consulting.

J. Hollis agrees to provide progress and attendance reports and that the same school regulations apply to both Hollis and Brookline students.

K. The written agreement may be amended by vote of both school districts at an annual or special meeting by ballot if requested. In deciding how to vote on this plan you should be aware of all considerations both pro and con. We have, therefore, included in our report those factors which we have uncovered in our development of the proposed plan.

ADVANTAGES OF PROPOSED PLAN

1. 20 year guarantee replaces year-to year uncertainity.
2. Reduced transportation costs.
3. Less time lost to the student in transportation.
4. Greater participation in extracurricular activities possible.
5. Small school atomosphere.
6. Small (20 students average) classes.
7. Recognized high quality school.
8. More involvement by Brookline School Board than straight tuition plan.

DISADVANTAGES OF PLAN

1. 20 year contract does not permit a change to another school system if conditions were to warrant such a move.

2. Relatively high costs in Hollis School system.

3. No control over costs.

4. Smaller school may not have the curriculum possible in larger school (at present Hollis is certified as a comprehensive high school and a prime reason why this plan appeals to Hollis that the larger student body makes it easier to provide the desired courses)

In conclusion, your AREA Committee believes that this is a fair plan which considers the interests of both towns. Adoption of this plan will guarantee a high quality education for our children for the next 20 years. However, it will probably cost about 15% more to send our children to Hollis than to Milford or Nashua (if either of those districts would agree to operate with us under a similar plan).

Beatrice Hall
Philip Chandler
Carl Anderson

School Study Commitee

School Board Report

The Brookline Elementary School has completed a year in the addition. It has been a successful year with all of our school operation together under one roof. The building has proved to be all that was expected.

The teachers approached the School Board in December to discuss salary proposals for the coming year. The majority of the School Board did not accept the proposal and made a counter proposal. A minority report is appended. The School Board amjoritites proposal has been used in the budget submitted in this report. The two proposals are as follows:

	Teachers		School Board Majority	
Yrs. of Teaching Exp.	Base	Masters	Base	Masters
0	6000	6500	5600	–
1	6300	6800	5900	–
2	6600	7100	6200	–
3	6900	7400	6500	–
4	7200	7700	6800	–
5	7500	8000	7100	–
6	7800	8300	7400	–
7	8100	8600	7700	–

Teacher	School Board Majority
Finge Benefits	
1. 100% payment $500 NHEA Life	1. None
2. 50% Blue Cross - Blue Sheild	2. None
3. Sick leave 15 dyas/year accumulated to 90 Personal leave 3 days/year accumulated to 21	3. 10 days/year accept to 45

4. 50% payment toward academic courses

4. $100 to be Shared by teachers

The School Board was notified in January by the Superintendent of Schools of Nashua that the Nashua School District, due to overcrowding problems, was asking Brookline to phase out the 10 - 12 Sr. High School students a grade per year, and look elsewhere immediately for a place to send 7 - 9. If no place can be found, our 7 - 9 students could attend one more year.

An "Area" planning committee was set up by the School District at the School District Meeting last March to study the possibility of setting up an Area School with Hollis or any other solution. This committee, consisting of a School Board member and two members appointed by the Moderator met with a similar committee from Hollis. The report of this committee is included separately in this report.

The School Board is still at this writing searching for alternate solutions for the problem of finding a place for the Jr. High students to go next year and to solve the problem for subsequent years. An alternative to the Area plan might be to send students to Hollis or another town on a straight tuition basis on a year or three year contract. An article to authorize this appears in the Warrant.

Much of the increase in the proposed budget is due to the increase in tuition cost. This has been experienced all over the state. The state averages has increased from $549 to $562 at the Jr. High level and from $637 to $695 per pupil for Sr. High. As a result our tuition to Nashua would have been $98,938 had we continued to send all our high school pupils to Nashua.

This compares to a figure of $117,092 included in this budget to send 7 - 9 to Hollis and 10 - 12 to Nashua. This is a difference of $18,154 next year. We expect we can save between 5 and 7 thousand dollars on transportation to Hollis next year, with larger savings in future years.

The budget figures represent the maximum amounts we can estimate for our various alternatives. When we pick a plan it will be possible to reduce line items in the budget e.g. transportation if we go to Hollis, tuition if we go to Nashua, as estimated earlier in this paragraph.

This is a crucial year, when important decisions must be made which will affect our town for many years to come.

BEATRICE B. HALL
EDDY WHITCOMB
MARJERY SOPER

School Board

Minortiy School Board Report

At the meeting of the School Board with the Brookline Finance Committee to discuss the School District Budget, Mr. John McNabb, Chairman recommended a compromise proposal for teachers' salaries as follows:

Yrs. of teaching Experience	Finance Committee Recommendation
0	5800
1	6100
2	6400
3	6700
4	7000
5	7300
6	7600
7	7900

I feel strongly that we must be competitive with the other towns in our Supervisory Union and in the Nashua area, if we do not want to take a chance on slipping backward in the quality of our teaching staff. We know we are losing two teachers, who will have to be replaced. We will be competing with salary schedules from $6000 to $6500 base, in our immediate area.

The compromise proposal would cost the town $2031 more than the majority Board Proposal. The teacher's proposal would cost the town $3,729 more than the Majority Board Proposal. I strongly endorse the Finance Committee recommemdation.

Signed:

BEATRICE B. HALL
EDDY WHITCOMB
MARJERY SOPER

School Board

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGES

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Residence	By Whom Married
1967				
December 30	Kenneth R. English	42	Brookline, N. H.	
Wilton, N. H.	Sylvia I. Mathewson	49	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. John S. Barber
1968				
January 10	Robert Merriam Bigelow	26	Lunenburg, Mass.	
Brookline, N. H.	Gloria Jean Grich	22	No. Oxford, Mass.	Rev. Thomas Atherton
February 24	Henry Michael Anthony	27	Brookline, N. H.	
Nashua, N. H.	Carol Joyce Pinette	24	Nashua, N. H.	Rev. Maurice Bergeron
March 10	Daniel J. Maldarella	34	Fitchburg, Mass.	Webster E. Bridges, Jr.
Brookline, N. H.	Alice L. Mason	38	Fitchburg, Mass.	Justice of the Peace
March 22	Thomas Joseph Recce	35	Brookline, N. H.	Robert E. Marchand
Amherst, N. H.	Diane Amy Hackett	17	Brookline, N. H.	Justice of the Peace
March 30	Chester Lee Valcourt	37	Townsend, Mass.	William H. Quigley
Brookline, N. H.	Donna Lee Jean Montgomery	22	Nashua, N. H.	Justice of the Peace
April 18	Paul Reginald Hamilton	19	Brookline, N. H.	
Salem, N. H.	Kareen Theresa Carelli	21	Nashua, N. H.	Rev. Robert Kemmery
May 10	Frank Lewis Dow	58	Brookline, N. H.	William H. Quigley
Brookline, N. H.	Ruth S. Bayles	40	Brookline, N. H.	Justice of the Peace
May 11	Warner Paul Peters	33	Worcester, Mass.	William H. Quigley
Brookline, N. H.	Lena Dora Liberty	18	Worcester, Mass.	Justice of the Peace
May 25	John William Gardner	19	Pepperell, Mass.	
Brookline, N. H.	Christine Verna Knudsen	20	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. Thomas Atherton
May 29	John B. Cates	32	Worcester, Mass.	William H. Quigley
Brookline, N. H.	Elaine A. Parker	28	Worcester, Mass.	Justice of the Peace
June 22	Stephen Ronald Ames	26	Bucksport, Me.	
Brookline, N. H.	Joan Ruth McGhee	26	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. William Millar

MARRIAGES

Date and Place of Marriage 1968	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Residence	By Whom Married
June 29	Arthur Robert Arsenault	24	Lowell, Mass	
Brookline, N. H.	Linda Jean Kinney	20	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. William A. Dolan
July 6	Robert Stanly Hall	20	Brookline, N. H.	
Milford	Christine Ann Gould	18	Milford, N. H.	Rev. Craig H. Richards
July 24	Kim Roland Santerre	21	West Townsend, Mass.	
Brookline, N. H.	Ann Marie Fessenden	20	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. William A. Dolan
July 26	George Aron Chambers	25	Brookline, N. H.	
Brookline, N. H.	Linda Veno Perry	20	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. Thomas Atherton
August 2	William Strong	20	Nashua, N. H.	
Brookline, N. H.	Emily Ann Crowell	19	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. Thomas Atherton
August 3	Richard Lanier Quick	21	Ridgeville, S. C.	
Brookline, N. H.	Nancy Jeanne Dulac	19	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. Thomas Atherton
September 20	Rodney Lee Patton	32	Brookline, N. H.	William H. Quigley
Brookline, N. H.	Beneta Beth Carlson	24	Brookline, N. H.	Justice of the Peace
December 7	Dana Ellsworth King	21	Townsend, Mass.	
Brookline, N. H.	Barbara Ann Wright	21	Brookline, N. H.	Rev. Thomas Atherton

BIRTHS

Date of Birth 1968	Sex	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Place of Birth
January 6	M	Edwin William Bolles	Walter Edwin Bolles	Rosanne Marie Lounder	Nashua, N. H.
January 7	F	Stephanie Marie Gay	Edward Deforest Gay	Beth Arabelle Beaubien	Nashua, N. H.
January 11	F	Kimberly Ann Taylor	Neil Francis Taylor	Charlotte Priscilla Sevigny	Groton, Mass.
January 18	M	Thomas Edward Lawrence	Roger Clifton Lawrence	Ellen Ann Chambers	Groton, Mass.
January 29	M	Ronald Keith Mellon, Jr.	Ronald Keith Mellon	Martha Ann Cross	Nashua, N. H.
February 17	F	Marlies Erika Quimby	Loring B. Quimby	Sigrun Sievers	Lowell, Mass.
March 6	M	Henry Joseph Travers, III	Henry Joseph Travers, Jr.	Jean Carol Hargreaves	Nashua, N. H.
April 18	M	Michael Sean McCaffrey	James Edward McCaffrey	Patricia May Cullen	Leominster, Mass.
April 24	F	Josephine Jane Peterson	Carl Peterson	Eleanor Jane Carkin	Manchester, N. H.
April 25	M	Glen Lee Jackson	Kenneth Leland Jackson	Joan Louise Johnston	Nashua, N. H.
June 4	M	Russell Gerard Dewing	Elmer Archibald Dewing	Maria Milagros Robles	Nashua, N. H.
June 13	F	Traci Lynn Billings	James Edward Billings	Roberta Mae Somes	Nashua, N. H.
August 6	M	Christopher Taylor Heline	Ture Alvar Heline, Jr.	Nancy Louise Evangelisti	Nashua, N. H.
August 10	F	Alberta Evelyn Davis	George Oscar Davis	Suzanne Jacqueline Bernard	Nashua, N. H.
August 14	M	Charles Erick Frederick Bunker	Charles F. Bunker	Gunhilde C. Andersch	Lowell, Mass.
September 14	M	David Armas Waris	David Armas Waris	Caroline Frances Gross	Groton, Mass.
September 23	M	James Lee Wood	Joseph Edmond Wood	Deborah Ann Thomas	Nashua, N. H.
October 11	M	Derek James McCormack	Donald Allen McCormack	Bonita Elizabeth Gould	Nashua, N. H.
October 17	F	Jennifer Viveiros	William Myles Viveiros	Sandra Mary Kaszynski	Nashua, N. H.
November 19	F	Sandra Jane Livingston	John Edwin Livingston	Claire Louise Lemay	Nashua, N. H.

DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname	Age	Name of Cemetery	Place of Burial
1967					
June 2	Groton, Mass.	William W. Taylor	67	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
August 17	Shirley, Mass.	Donald Leo MacMillan	19	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
1968					
January 20	Rochester, N. H.	George E. Quinton	57	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
February 7	Leominster, Mass.	James E. Farnsworth	77	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
March 22	Milford, N. H.	Hilda Marie Liljeberg	92	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
March 28	Groton, Mass.	George Henry Hamel	72	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
April 20	Lowell, Mass	Charlotte Adelaide Wright	81	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
April 21	Brookline, N. H.	John J. Argo	57	St. Joseph's	Taunton, Mass.
May 22	Brookline, N. H.	Virginia Jo Pike	41	Newton Crematory	Newton, Mass.
May 23	Manchester, N. H.	Robert Nelson Hale	49	Pine Grove	Topsfield, Mass.
July 5	Brookline, N. H.	Fred Ernest Berry	80	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
July 21	Nashua, N. H.	Norman J. Spencer	72	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
August 24	Nashua, N. H.	Edgar Winthrop Townsend	80	Laurel Hill	Wilton, N. H.
August 27	Nashua, N. H.	Charles Richardson Hardy	75	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
September 13	Concord, N. H.	Archie Davis	64	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
October 18	Fitchburg, Mass.	Frank Simon	64	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
October 21	Hanover, N. H.	Maude V. Ebbett	78	Pine Grove	Brookline, N. H.
October 22	Nashua, N. H.	Patricia Jean MacLaren	33	Valley Forge Gardens	King of Prussia, Pa.
November 18	Lowell, Mass.	Dora Deering Warren	83	Newton Cemetery	Newton, Mass.

The foregoing is a transcript of all the Marriages, Births and Deaths that have been reported to the Town Clerk of Brookline, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1968.

HELEN D. BRIDGES
Town Clerk

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FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

2-2-2-2 - Fire in Brookline

1 Long Blast of
Fire Alarm - Assemble at Fire House

I Blast at 7:00 A.M. - No School Signal

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Emergency Fire and Telephone Numbers

Fire Telephones

673-4141
673-4988
673-4443

Police Telephone

673-4431 - Chief Alvin W. Taylor
673-4949 - Officer Harold A. Rhoades

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We wish to gratefully acknowledge the 165 years collectively rendered to the Town of Brookline by the following three firemen:

Wilfred J. Soucy, Sr.
Eldorus C. Fessenden
Grover C. Farwell, Sr.